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Parking scofflaws owe Carmel big bucks

By JOHN DETRO

CARMEL POLICE Department's motorized parking enforcement crew absolutely does not have traffic ticket quotas assigned.

When top lawman Jack McGilvray gave a wide-ranging interview on the related subjects of parking and citations, one of the first things he did was smash that seemingly universal and particularly tenacious urban myth.

"We never ever," Chief McGilvray said in his neat office, "talk about 'You must go out and write X number of citations per day.' Our job's to enforce those parking regulations deemed appropriate by city council. We create turnover, giving more people an opportunity to park regardless of time-length at those spaces. We (police) don't decide what time limits should be. That policy decision comes from council members under authority of the State Vehicle Code."

Having verbalized those philosophical guidelines, McGilvray made known some genuinely interesting facts:

- As of Oct. 30, Carmel had 443 habitual offenders (those with five or more unpaid citations outstanding) who owed \$146,844 for 4,947 unpaid tickets. "This list gets updated constantly. We're still on the lookout. Last week we caught two habituals who both owed more than \$600 apiece. The highest bill we've ever towed (into the service station across from Carmel Police Department) came to \$1,800."

- With thousands of drivers coming through Carmel each month, the current number of time-limit parking places was approximately 900. Overseeing the situation — Police Sgt. Ken O'Donovan and his five Cushman enforcement vehicles (Auto-Cite units). "Because of days off, vacations and training," McGilvray said, "we usually have three parking officers at work per day. They cover the ground. In my time here (almost 10 years), two parking officers have been pushed by angry motorists. One person jumped into (an Auto-Cite) and yelled at the officer. Our people are trained to handle such abuse. It's not fair, but it happens."

- He referred questions about dollar totals to Financial Services Coordinator Sandy Davenport at City Hall. She gave these figures for income via parking tickets: \$388,892 (July 1, 1990-June 30, 1991); \$182,732 (July 1, 1990-Nov. 30, 1990); \$179,447 (July 1, 1991-Nov. 30, 1991). As of Nov. 1 this year, the citations cost \$15 each. "It's obvious," McGilvray said, "that each unpaid ticket means financial loss to Carmel."

- Every three years, bids go out on processing of traffic tickets. Now, drivers mail payments directly to Lockheed Information Management Services in San Jose. McGilvray: "The county quit processing tickets in 1985. If you look at space, computers and personnel, processing our own would be prohibitive costwise." Out of every \$15, \$5 goes automatically to the county and state (un-

der law). Department of Motor Vehicles gets \$3 per registration hold on habitual parking offenders. Lockheed gets \$1.13 for processing each Carmel citation, while the unit cost of issuing tickets hits 25-30 cents. Estimated per-ticket return to Carmel: \$8.60 "without any DMV holds."

- Last year 44,163 citations were issued in Carmel. The total through Nov. 30 of this year — 39,651.

Categories of time-limit slots: 10 minutes at such sites as Carmel Post Office, half-hour green zones in resident-serving business areas (facilitating short transactions), 20-minute yellow loading zones, one-hour Central Business District, two-hour Business District fringe areas. Resident parking permits double times in the 30-minute and hour zones, but there's no extra time in two-hour parking areas.

Coming up between Dec. 26 and June 30, 1992 — an experiment "changing some one-hour parking to two-hour," Chief McGilvray noted. "This's Sixth Avenue to Seventh on both sides and Junipero to Monte Verde on both sides, excluding Ocean Avenue. This pilot area has been drawn up at the request of merchants and on the recommendation of Carmel's Ad Hoc Parking Committee. The purpose is to give shoppers more time to do business."

McGilvray said the Lockheed center handles accounting and processing. The center "makes court dates for not-guilty pleas and notifies DMV if people don't pay."

At each day's end, the Auto-Cite units transmit ticket data to Lockheed via modem. "These days there's just one copy of each ticket," McGilvray explained, "and it goes on the windshield. All the rest of the information is transferred electronically. We have floppy disc backup here."

Lockheed sends back data on habitual offenders to the Auto-Cite drivers. When a ticket's issued, the vehicle license number's punched in by the local officers. And of course any unpaid tickets appear. "Expired registration's always a tip-off," McGilvray said, "simply because vehicles can't be registered until tickets are paid off. Sooner or later we catch up (with habituals). The Vehicle Code says we can impound for five or more unpaid tickets. We'll put a letter on such a car, giving dollar amounts and 10 days to pay up."

And: "If we have to, we'll impound until payment is made. In most cases, we have

released cars the same day they were towed. The storage fee's \$10 per day — and there's a \$45 towing fee."

The chief's brow wrinkled. "People give all kinds of excuses for ignoring citations. It doesn't make good sense. We're very effective in that area. The bottom line stays the same: giving more people a chance to use those time-limit parking spaces."

Parking ticket monies cannot come back to Carmel Police Department. Checks from Lockheed enter the city's general fund. "We don't get a cut," McGilvray said. "And that's exactly the way it should be."



Renowned artist Donald Teague dies

WATERCOLOR ARTIST Donald Teague died in his Carmel home Dec. 13. He was 94. A resident of the city since 1949, Teague was one of the most honored water color

artists in the nation, winning numerous awards and accolades for his works. For more on this singular artist, please turn to page 26. (John Livingstone/Gamma Liaison photo.)

Changes in local growth prompts county to re-examine coastal plan

By DAVID LELAND

IN THE almost eight years since the Del Monte Forest Land Use Plan was certified, significant growth has occurred on the peninsula, a phenomenon that has prompted county officials to re-examine the document.

To that end, the Monterey County Board of Supervisors has directed county planning staff to update the text to reflect the environmental changes since certification and to review the plan's resource protection provisions.

"Anytime there are major changes a local coastal plan can be reviewed," said 5th District Supervisor Karin Strasser Kauffman who, with 4th District Supervisor Sam Karas requested the study.

Carmel falls within the Fifth District,

Pacific Grove within the Fourth.

"It's not going to be a new plan, the basic goals and policies will still prevail," Strasser Kauffman said.

While the state Coastal Commission mandates that local coastal plans are to be updated every five years, lack of staff and financial constraints usually limit such work.

However, the county will bypass an estimated \$121,000 consultant's fee by doing its own work.

The supervisor pointed out that, since 1984 when the plan was adopted, water has diminished on the peninsula, traffic levels have risen and air quality has grown worse, which reflects more growth.

In part, Strasser Kauffman said, the county is bowing to numerous requests

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Soft landing

SANTA MADE a quick stop on his busy rounds to visit residents of Carmel Valley during the annual Santa Fly-In Saturday. The event included a parade and entertainment. (Chris Hulse photo.)

Letters to the Editor

Letters to the editor are welcome. Views on all matters are acceptable, following the guidelines of good taste. While there is no limit on length, brevity is encouraged. Letters are subject to editing for style and length. Each letter must contain name, address and signature and must be typed or legibly hand-printed. A phone number is needed for verification only. Anonymous letters, or those with no phone numbers will not be accepted.

CRA tribute to Grace

Dear Editor:

Mayor Grace's unexpected decision not to seek re-election has caused considerable comment and speculation. Observations and judgments have been expressed by everyone concerned with the future leadership of our community. Therefore we believe that the reactions and comments of our organization will be of interest to the readers of your newspaper.

On behalf of the Board of Directors and the members of the CRA, I have written a letter to mayor Grace expressing our sincere appreciation of her serving two terms as mayor of our city. Two terms is the historic maximum of such service and we trust that Mayor Grace will look back on her time in office with the satisfaction of knowing she gave her utmost in protecting the values she believes in.

The news of her decision not to seek re-election came to us (as it did, it seems, to everyone) as a great surprise. I learned of it through Isabelle Hall, as reflected in my remarks quoted in yesterday's *Weekly Sun*. Incidentally, the *Sun's* more extensive reporting on this major news event offers a more thoughtful accounting of why Mayor Grace decided not to seek re-election, as compared to far more brief report in *The Pine Cone*. Indeed, the *Sun's* interview with Mayor Grace and accompanying article offered an insight to her sense of weariness after two years in office; and that insight will surely evoke a more sympathetic understanding of her decision than the assumed reason offered in *The Pine Cone's* brief article.

In the *Sun's* article, I am quoted as saying: "I admire (Mayor Grace). I admire anyone who is willing to serve in public office." The statements I made on the phone to the *Sun* went on to say that I realize how difficult it is for public officials

to cope month after month with the tormenting decisions and the intensity of debate and the anxieties and pressures of serving the public. I hope that such awareness is widely shared.

Although Mayor Grace's deprecations of and even attacks on the CRA have been widely reported during the two years since the CRA supported her re-election campaign in 1990, we have sought to understand that any incumbent might feel impatient, even irritated by the questions and criticisms of the loyal opposition.

In conclusion, our board and members join with many other Carmelites in expressing our admiration for Mayor Grace's willingness to serve for two terms—and we wish her many years of more relaxing efforts as an honored member of our community. With thanks to *The Pine Cone* for publishing this CRA tribute to Mayor Grace.

J. S. Holliday
President, CRA
Carmel

Confirming observations

Dear Editor:

In her letter of Dec. 5, Susan Merwin shared two important observations:

1. There is no freeway through San Francisco on Hwy 1.
2. Traffic flows well on 19th Avenue (Hwy 1) in the city because the signal lights are timed.

I would like to confirm her observations. Two or three years ago I learned that the six lane Hwy 1 in San Francisco carries more cars per lane than the four lane section of Hwy 1 at Carmel. Caltrans engineers in The City told me they are able to make it work without a freeway because the signals are synchronized to allow the majority of cars to pass through without stopping. Traffic engineers call this "platooning."

Merwin asked, "If San Francisco can get along without (a freeway), can it be that we really need a freeway in Carmel?"

I have been asking Caltrans similar questions for years, and I have yet to receive any kind of an answer. Recently, I talked with two Caltrans engineers. One was a newcomer to the Hatton Canyon project who had previously worked for Caltrans in San Francisco. The other had been working on Hatton Canyon for several years. I asked them if platooning can work on Hwy 1 in San Francisco, why couldn't it work in Carmel if highway 1 was widened to four lanes? They both

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Editorial

A call to arms

First off, the *Pine Cone* would like to take this opportunity to thank Carmel Mayor Jean Grace for her hard work and dedication on behalf of our city. Whether residents agree with her point of view or not, everyone should be united in the idea that Grace has put 100 percent of her energy into improving our village.

Her community involvement, of course, predates her mayoral tasks, where she has worked so hard in campaigning for open space and parkland. We also salute the fact that Grace was a driving force behind creation of the Carmel Beach Walkway, which, pardon the expression, graces our ocean front.

However, Grace's decision not to seek re-election in April puts the city on the horns of the proverbial dilemma: Who will step forward to tackle community problems simply for the sake of being a concerned citizen?

It certainly won't be for the bucks; the mayor receives a mere \$250 a month.

A closer examination reveals that Carmel is currently experiencing a dearth of likely candidates. Notice we did not use the word "qualified," there are plenty of locals

who could rise to the occasion.

Check that, we assume that, hiding in the forest, there are citizens who are simply awaiting the call. Or are those merely the spirits of benevolent despots such as Gunnar Norberg and Sandy Swain?

Where are the mentors of tomorrow who welcome robust debate, but are still well-versed in the art of compromise?

With the mayor's seat and two council positions open, the town should be crackling with speculation. It is not. Instead, one hears the the drums beating the same five or six names. There is more a feeling of dread, rather than elation among political pundits.

Keeping that in mind, *The Pine Cone* is making a call to arms to all citizens, asking them to help guide Carmel into the 21st Century. Sure it takes some personal time and reshuffling of priorities, but so what? Somebody has to do it.

So let's look on the bright side. Maybe Grace not seeking a third term could become one of her greatest accomplishments as citizens recognize a critical void and step forward to fill it.

Editorial

By Lois Starnes

Canyon best place for freeway

THE CAMPAIGN being waged by Zad Leavy and other members of the regional park district to stop the Hatton Canyon Freeway and use the canyon for a park is irresponsible action of that public agency.

The concept of a freeway in the canyon came about from projected traffic numbers in 1953. Those numbers have come to pass - in spades! Folks talk of a figure of only 4 1/2 extra minutes to travel Highway 1 from Carpenter Street to Rio Road. They fail to admit that that is AVERAGE time of all the cars in times of free movement and the hours of stalled cars. (Published in Caltrans document.)

For instance, in late September I had a mailing to deliver to the post office at the mouth of the valley. I left my driveway and was at the wheel of my automobile from 10 minutes to 2 to 10 minutes after 3 p.m. to drive 1.5 miles to the mail box and return home! Further, the area of the freeway is circled by open space and parklands!

1. Less than a mile from the southern end of the freeway is a 6.5 acre tract of land that the City of Carmel purchased and plans a public park. 2. The artichoke field across the river from that park is owned by the state as parklands. 3. Across the road from the artichoke fields is land

donated by the Fish Ranch owners. SO, the southern end of the freeway is circled by parkland.

4. Immediately to the East of the canyon is the Swim Druid Hills Ranch that will forever be open space. 5. Next to it is several hundred acres of undisturbed wilderness donated by Clint Eastwood, Maggie Eastwood, and James Garner. The only structures on that vast area of land is a retirement community for the elderly. 6. Next, the mammoth Garland Park 7. Next down the valley the Stephen B. Kahn family has donated the 400 acre Wilmot lands to add to the sprawling Garland Park. 8. And adjoining that is the gift of all the mountainside extending as far as the Eastern boarder of Carmel Valley Village.

So, please, park district members, leave Hatton Canyon for a freeway. Let me say that the freeway will not "destroy the canyon." It is artfully designed to become one of the most scenic roads in California - a parkway with views of unparalleled scenery of: trees in the canyon, mountains of the Valley, Point Lobos, and the Pacific Ocean.

(Lois Starnes is a founding member of Citizens for Hatton Canyon)

Holiday deadlines

Because of the holidays, deadlines for the *Carmel Pine Cone* have been changed.

For the Thursday, Dec. 26 *Pine Cone*, deadlines are as following:

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Are Tom Oliver's days numbered at PB Co. ?

By JOHN DETRO

TOM OLIVER'S days are numbered as president of Pebble Beach Co., extremely reliable sources said Tuesday.

Heavyweight players within this peninsula's hospitality industry, those sources spoke on the condition of anonymity.

They predicted: "Tom will be out of the job by Jan. 1 (1992)."

Asked about that statement, company spokesperson Candace Ingram said: "As far as I know, there's nothing to it. We thought we'd tracked down the rumors. Your sources may know something that I don't know. According to everything I'm aware of, it's just not true."

Japanese golf tycoon Minoru Isutani bought Pebble Beach facilities in 1990 for \$830 million. The forecast about Oliver followed a rapid series of developments that centered on the world-famed play area:

- Jamie Warren, popular vice-president and manager of The Lodge at Pebble Beach, was terminated effective Dec. 1. "I've known for more than a month," he said near November's end.

- Nick Nicolai, assistant auditor and controller of Monterey County, said Pebble Beach was more than \$3 million behind in tax payments. The company has appealed a hike in assessed evaluation —

and a hearing has been scheduled in March before the appropriate county board.

- The county filed a Superior Court suit claiming that the new owners of Pebble Beach never paid nearly \$366,000 for filing documents on the property's sale. Company lawyers have requested a meeting with county lawyers.

Additionally, a Nevada development firm of Isutani's has filed for bankruptcy protection in federal court. The San Francisco *Examiner* quoted wire service sources when saying Cosmo World of Nevada had spent \$40 million on a \$600 million resort spread at Henderson (near Las Vegas). Cosmo World officials reportedly said the Chapter 11 filing would have no effect on Pebble Beach.

The company has proposed a private country club at Pebble Beach — a plan opposed by staff studies of California Coastal Commission. The matter was postponed from this month at the company's request and may be taken up at the commission meeting in January. Isutani clearly needed income from private membership sales to help pay off loans.

The Japanese tycoon's representatives were working to restructure those loans. Published reports said Isutani must deliver new collateral — perhaps as much as \$100 million — to retain control of Pebble Beach.

County Supervisor Karin Strasser Kauffman preceded all these developments with comments that seemed rather visionary. Speaking to this writer several days ago, she said Pebble Beach ownership would be called into question. Her point: the company "still needs to file a request for an amendment to the county's Local Coastal Program for Del Monte

Forest."

Strasser Kauffman, only supervisor to vote against Isutani's Pebble Beach National Club outline when the board approved it 4-1 last summer, said the amendment process would guarantee impact hearings and "give the people...the opportunity to ask detailed questions."

Water board OK's desal study 5-1

By FRANK GEORGE

IN KEEPING with a campaign promise, newly-elected water board member Fran Farina voted against a \$64,000 desalination study at the board's Dec. 16 meeting.

"It gets back to my continuing objection to spending capital projects funds ... on a project which the public has yet to support," Farina said. Nonetheless, the rest of the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District board of directors liked the idea.

The 5-1 approval (Director Robert Franco

was absent), paves the way for an EIR, design work and hydrogeologic investigation on a yet-to-be-determined site in Sand City. District staffers contend a location west of Highway 1 near Sand City would be convenient for the district in a number of ways.

Unlike the other two sites under consideration, the Sand City plant would be located within district boundaries, the staff argued. That means permit problems could be minimal and the new location would be close to the Monterey Regional

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Hot stuff!

THE CARMEL-by-the-Sea Fire Department is conducting a drive to raise food and toys for needy families on the peninsula this Christmas. The drive continues until Christmas Eve. The fire department (here firefighters Dave Tedron and Todd Hutchings), will be accepting donations in the form of canned and non-perishable foods, workable toys, money and any other appropriate

gifts. Any and all contributions will be deeply appreciated. Once collected, the donated items will be distributed by the Salvation Army. Donations may be dropped off at the fire department on Sixth Street between San Carlos and Mission, daily from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. For further information, contact Mitch Kastros at the fire department, 624-1718. (Chris Hulse photo.)



Holiday on wheels

ROWS AND rows of bicycles spill out of Carmel businessman Paul Laub's Carmel Valley garage, awaiting a few squirts of oil and a few nuts tightened by a group of volunteer mechanics. It's all part of Laub's The Bike Project, a fledgling project started by Laub to get bicycles to needy children this Christmas. "It's really phenomenal," Laub said, amazed at the response he has gotten so far from individuals as well as organizations and municipalities, including Monterey and Carmel. "One person called up and gave me four bikes; people are just giving me bikes." Laub and his elves work on the bikes, making them

workable and safe to ride. "I have bikes in every condition — ready to roll with air in the tires to bikes in pieces. I have bikes in every possible condition and every kind." Laub said he still needs more bikes (there are 2,500 needy families in the county this holiday season), as well as stuffed animals and clothing. Drop points have been established at Laub's Paradise Building in Carmel (Ocean and Dolores), and at the First Interstate Bank on Carmel Rancho Lane. There's also a need for mechanically inclined volunteers as well as bike parts and accessories. To contribute to this worthy cause please call 659-5959.

Yes, Virginia, car thieves do operate in paradise

A CAR thief's busy hours in Carmel served as a warning to local residents, police said Tuesday — "crime really does happen here; lock your vehicles."

The cautionary tale and its implicit message were told by Detective Sgt. Pete Poitras, who said the criminal type tried three cars in a row Sunday evening before stealing the third one.

"It was a 1986 Honda Prelude," Pete added. "All of the autos were unlocked, which should be some

kind of signal where other owners are concerned."

The sequence began when Carmel police recovered (near Second and Casanova) a car which had been stolen in Fresno on Saturday.

"The physical evidence has us pretty well convinced that the same person was involved in both the Fresno and Carmel thefts," Poitras said. "We don't yet know why the person drove here and then stole another car. Fresno officers don't know either."

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County to re-examine coastal plan

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from citizens' groups to revamp the forest plan.

"Major developments have been approved in Pebble Beach and throughout peninsula," said Scott Hennessey, Ventana Chapter of the Sierra Club. "Cumulative impacts — especially on water, traffic, air quality and sewage — should be addressed in terms of present conditions."

Strasser Kauffman said the work will likely take 1 1/2 years to complete.

"It's going to be a tremendous job and has a number of potential controversies," she said.

For example, many residents are also concerned about the Pebble Beach Co.'s plans for future buildout in the forest, with the current plan allowing more than 900 developable lots.

"A new study and plan is certainly warranted before the numerous new-building applications can be properly evaluated," said Nancy Green, president of the League of Women Voters.

Strasser Kauffman noted that the Pebble Beach Co.'s current application for 353 lots is on "hold" and would not be affected by any revisions to the plan.

"The current plan is in effect until the review is complete," she said, adding that while the plan is under scrutiny the company may bring in more applications.

Other groups requesting a revision of the plan include Preserve 17-Mile Drive, Monterey Peninsula Regional Park District, Pebble Beach Community Services District and Del Monte Forest Property Owners.

"It needs to be the community's plan for the area, rather than the county's or one property owner's (Pebble Beach Co.) plan," Strasser Kauffman said. "I'm convinced that constituents are interested and ex-

cited to do work on the plan."

Most immediately, the county will advertise for a citizens advisory group, which will report its findings to county staff.

Public hearings will then be held before the Monterey County Planning Commission and board of supervisors.

Santa Claus delivers in Carmel Valley area

SANTA CLAUS will be making deliveries to families living within the Mid Carmel Valley Fire District (Rancho San Carlos Road West to Garland Park east). Santa will deliver presents to children on Christmas Eve, between 3 and 8 p.m.

If you wish to have a present delivered, drop off the wrapped gift at the Mid Carmel Valley Fire Station, 8455 Carmel Valley Road, any day between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. on or before Dec. 23.

Gifts should be wrapped and identified with the child's name, address and telephone number. One package per child will be accepted.

Knowledge of CPR could save lives

MORE THAN 70 percent of all CPR (cardiopulmonary resuscitation) rescues occur in the home on an individual known by the rescuer.

CPR saves more than 250 lives a day; the more people that know CPR, the more lives that can be saved. With that in mind the Carmel Chapter of the American Red Cross offers CPR classes monthly all year. Classes are held at the Carmel Red Cross house at Eighth and Dolores.

For more information call the Red Cross at 624-6921.

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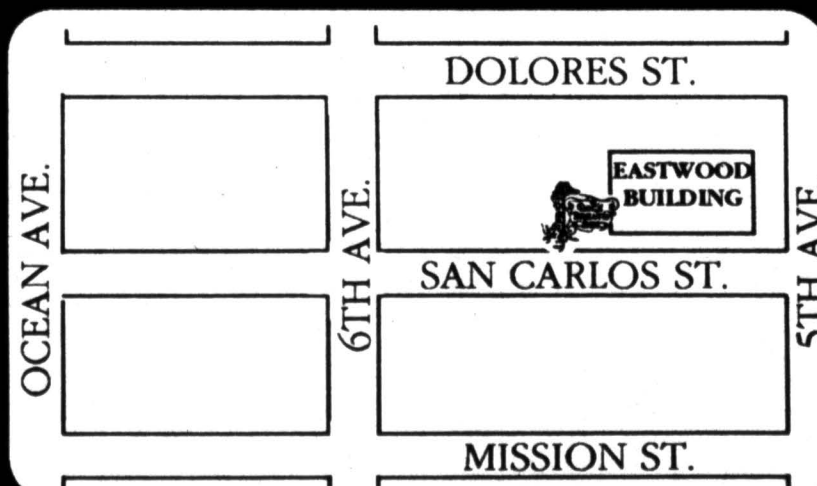
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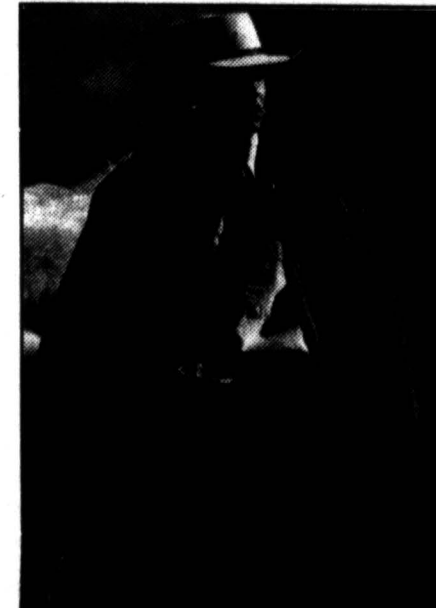
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Christmas shopping dilemmas

WHAT TO buy for Sun Signs? Where to shop? What size? Not to worry! Some of the most unusual and most welcome gifts are offered right here in the *Pine Cone* through our advertisers.

Instead of giving a Taurus a box of candy or that dreaded fruitcake, how about a dinner gift certificate from Scandia Restaurant (see Ray Kreik, manager). The Chicken Dijon is to die for, and they will even give you the creamiest mashed potatoes with their tantalizing gravy that only the Carmel elves know the recipe for.

Virgo's could have the loving gift of healing and health: a gift certificate for a massage from Linda Carroll, currently with Carmel Country Spa (659-3486) out in Carmel Valley. She does healing along with massage, using crystals and magnets to get rid of negative energies and put in positive ones.

Know a Libra just lusting for a perm? Give them over to the trusting, healing hands of Mary Ana (owner) and Dee

at the March Hare. Perhaps a Leo on your Christmas list would love a book, on rebirthing, then dash over to the Thunderbird Book Store in the Barnyard, or get in touch with Peter and Meg Kane (800-373-1718) if you're really serious about this stuff as they offer certified courses in the subject.

Leos also appreciate some taped reruns of *Murder, She Wrote* to keep their holiday fires burning! For the Gemini on your list, they need two gifts (for two personalities), a Robert Ludlum book from Ann/Gary Messenger's Book Emporium in the Crossroads Shopping Center and give the other Gemini a microwave oven, since they are always in a hurry when it comes to eating. Of course they would rather have someone else cook for them, like Katy at Katy's Cottage on Lincoln Street. They don't need caffeine as they are naturally wired by Mother Nature!

For the Aries, their own siren and flashing light on their red car or a ride on a fire engine — perhaps several rides! And you might want to drive over to Doris Day's animal shelter and bring home a fat, fuzzy, male marmalade pussycat (long-haired) for your favorite Cancer.

See Ruth Taka at Crossroads Travel (624-5434) for your Sagittarius friends/family. Give them a round trip anywhere, by train, air or boat, hey don't care, just so they're in motion.

For that difficult Capricorn boss, how about a U.S. Savings Bond; since they outlive us all anyway, why not? Aquarius wants a ticket to any planet as long as its "out of this world" (they're just visiting the planet, you know), or if you can get them to sit still long enough, they can make a worthwhile visit to Phoenix, Arizona (for a studio

portrait) to be photographed by Butch Williams (who is also an actor turning producer-director (602-952-9222). If he can make me look good, he can make anyone look good! If a soul portrait (local) is what your Pisces is after, call artist, Richard Sawicki (Beeches' Gallery 624-1985). He has produced paintings now in private collections in Europe and in the United States.

You say you need an astrological chart for all of the Sun Signs? Call Carol Hemingway (624-2881) — like Santa Claus, she makes house calls.



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I support you in this endeavor of being with your son for the holidays. After 7 years (which I might add is a Saturn cycle), you must simply be tired of being miserable. It's time to ease the pain, rather than "get stuck" in old

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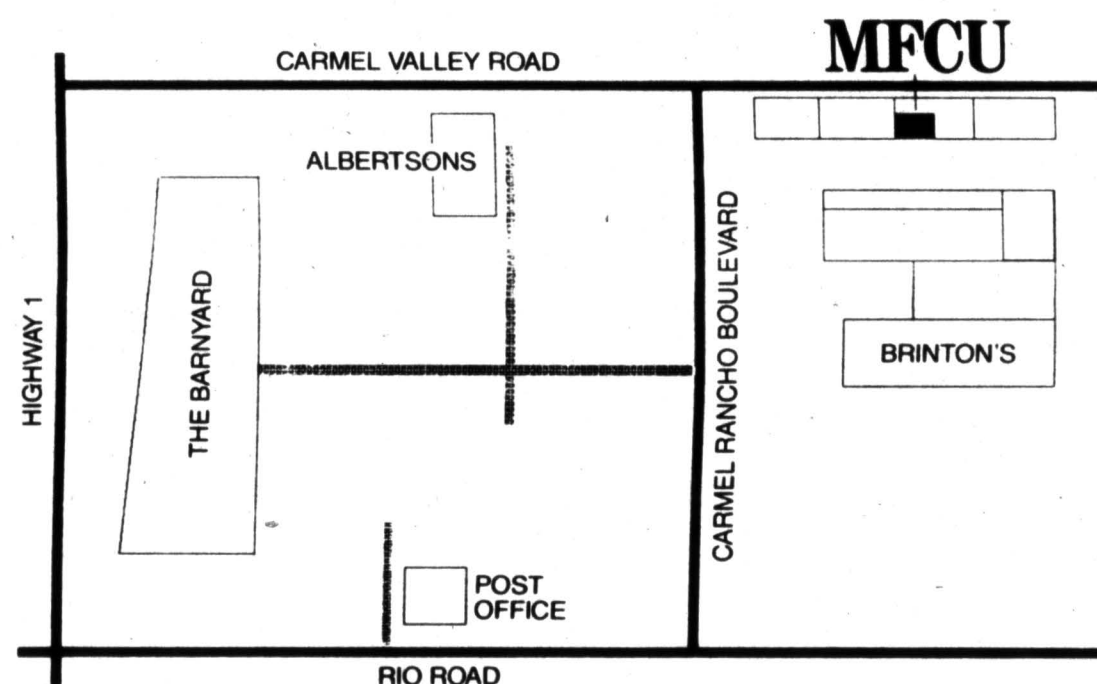
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Carmel Valley Outlook



CV Connections

By Kathleen Tarp

Santa won the hearts of valley children

WHAT A thrill it was to see Santa zoom by the Carmel Valley airport 50 feet above the crowd and waving from the window of Skip Marquard's plane! He was right on schedule for the CV Community Youth Center's 33rd annual Santa's Fly-In Parade. Riding along with Santa and Mrs. Claus in their sleigh were the lucky winners of the first annual drawing, Melanie Mayland, 5-years-old, and Hatton Verga, 3-years-old. Hundreds of children jumped onto four fire trucks and followed Santa through the Village as Elyse Battey, our beloved "Mouth of The Valley," commented the parade better than Jane Pauley could have done from the roof of Nelson and Jenn Foreman's Running Iron! The Stonepine and Los Laureles Lodge horse drawn carriages added the perfect old fashioned touch along with miniature horses and pony driven carts. There were vintage cars and cub scouts, brownies and bugle corps, kids on foot and kids on bikes, dogs with bow ties and the screwdriver kazoo band, Glen Gurries' Robles Del Rio Roadster, and to top it all off, the world champion Seaside float, complete with bubbles and animated bunnies. All in all, it was the biggest, the best, the grandest parade on earth because everyone from the community was either in the parade or watching it!

When the crowd arrived back at the Community Center, they were reminded by Bobby Peebles of Seaside's Christian Memorial Church that "Jesus is the reason for the Season." Bobby led the choir and got all of Carmel Valley rocking out to gospel songs. The Carmel High School Dance Troupe, led by Mary Kay LaValley was fabulous as well as Jacqueline Dickman's Theatre Arts Conservatory Singers. Diane Holmes Children's Acting Workshop and the Enrichment Sign Carolers were a highlight. The most magical part of all is that every child got to whisper their special wish into Santa's ear before he made the long journey back to the North Pole.

Our heartfelt thanks go out to Pamela Stearns, organizer of the event who contributed hundreds of hours of work to make this such a super event. Special kudos to Kate McAnaney, Mr. and Mrs. Web Buckham, Judy Harrold, Bill Tarp, Tony Glanville, Elyse Battey, Holly Decker, Carol Covell, Alice Kinsler, Mr. and Mrs. Chuck McKay, Beth Lawn, Bonnie and Rick Simms, Bruce Skidmore, Jim Corso, Nick Craft, Troy Hussey, Trish Taylor, Marleny Mancebo, Tex, and Carmel Valley Kiwanis. Thanks again, to all our entertainers and participants in the parade...we're sure that Santa will be extra kind to you this year because of all your good deeds!

Until next week, Merry Christmas to all, and to all a good night!

CV High poet gaining recognition

THE UNIVERSE insists upon wondrous balances. Ebb and flow, loss and gain, shade and brilliant winter sun.

Departures and entrances.

Several days ago it was this writer's honor to compose some paragraphs on the passing of Mona Williams, Carmel poet and novelist who lived in the village for more than half a century.

The same afternoon, there was a delightful interview with Lucia Prejean. The 17-year-old poet from Carmel Valley High was filled with clarity, good cheer, excitement over having attended her first book-signing party on Dec. 8 at Portofino Coffee House of Pacific Grove.

Lucia had pulled down honors in the Teenage Verse category set up by Poetry Shell for this year's anthology. She stood amongst the other poets at Portofino and autographed volumes whenever folks asked. Longtime professional Mona Williams would have enjoyed the very young woman's take on wordpersons relating to readers.

"It was fun," Lucia said with a straightforward smile. "These little girls gathered around. It was neat writing down things that were personal to them."

A senior who'll graduate at January's end, Lucia confessed that an earlier literary period was much less upbeat than current work. "I started writing when I was 11 and the poems of ages 11-14 were very depressing. Then I stopped writing until I was 16. The latest poems are very healthy. Those old things were sort of amusing. I burned most of them. Basically I'm a happy person."

FALL

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Bring your ocean mist from the valleys to the mountain tops,
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I welcome you into my heart, whatever you may bring:

raging wind, crashing storm,

flooding rain and thunder,

lightening flashing in the sky.

Oh fall, you are so peaceful compared to the summer heat.

Come rain, wash me away!

The sky gets dark and gray.

I go outside and feel a gentle drop.

I try to touch the sky.

I look up into the gray, thunder crashes!

Rain on us!

Not afraid of the spring,

not afraid of the summer,

not afraid of the fall,

not afraid of the winter.

Come all, like the wind into my heart.

LUCIA PREJEAN

Carmel Valley firefighter honored

PAT DOWD, a volunteer firefighter for the Carmel Valley Fire Protection District, was honored at the 9th Annual Firefighter of the Year Awards on Dec. 11.

Dowd is a Volunteer Lieutenant and has been with the department for eight years. He was selected for the award because during that time he has maintained nearly perfect attendance, at training exercises and has displayed an intense interest and desire to perform the duties of a firefighter.

Dowd also serves as the official representative of the Carmel Valley FPD to the Regional E.M.S. Council and is often found speaking before various groups about E.M.S. matters.



One thing I like about being a poet: you can capture joy on paper so that it's tangible."

Lucia ("I live on Chew's Ridge, up Tassajara Road and half an hour from Jamesburg") said the ancient art form helped when tragedy came. Her father, the singer and songsmith John Prejean, was killed two summers ago in a Big Sur car crash.

"It's just lately that I've written poems about that," she said. "I definitely miss him. Poetry helped me express some of those feelings. My mother remarried. He's David Springer — musician, actor, carpenter — and we get along fine. Now my 15-year-old sister and I have a baby brother who's a few months old."

Following graduation, she continued, Lucia will attend Monterey Peninsula College "and learn useful skills like sewing and making clothes. I'll work, too, and save my money for a trip. Next summer, I hope to visit a friend in the mountains of New York State. Other special interests? Well, I practice Yoga."

When she was younger, Lucia "didn't like studies. I was so confused and didn't know what I wanted. Now I'd tell someone in the same situation — life definitely gets better than middle school. Writing lets me be really free. I don't have to do it any certain way."

Will poetry remain her companion along life's turns? "I hope so," she grinned. "Sometimes it gets going in my head and I gotta write it down. I love to read poetry as well. It's great to find out that other people have the same feelings you do."



POET SPEAKS—Lucia Prejean says the ancient art of poetry means much in her life: freedom, identification with others, expression. Come January, she'll leave Carmel Valley High. (Jack Savage photo)

Valley student's art show offered

STUDENT ARTISTS from the All Saints' Episcopal Day School in Carmel Valley have their work on display at the Carmel Valley Manor at 8545 Carmel Valley Road, Carmel.

Their work will be shown daily from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. throughout December.

For more information call Kate Grover at 624-1281.

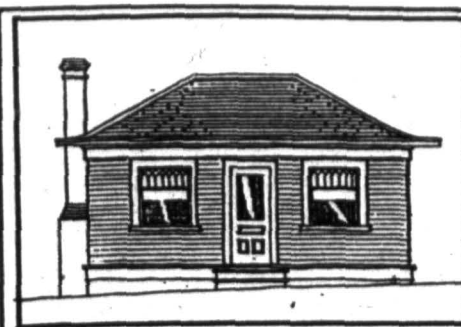
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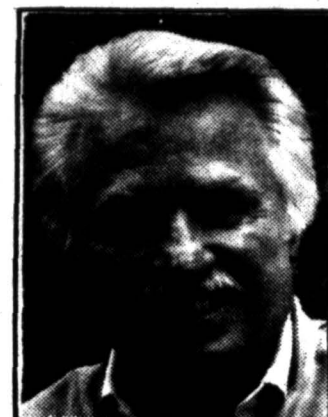
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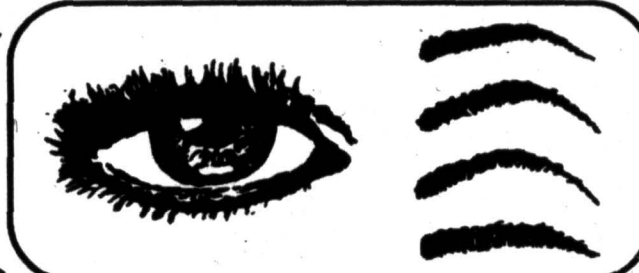
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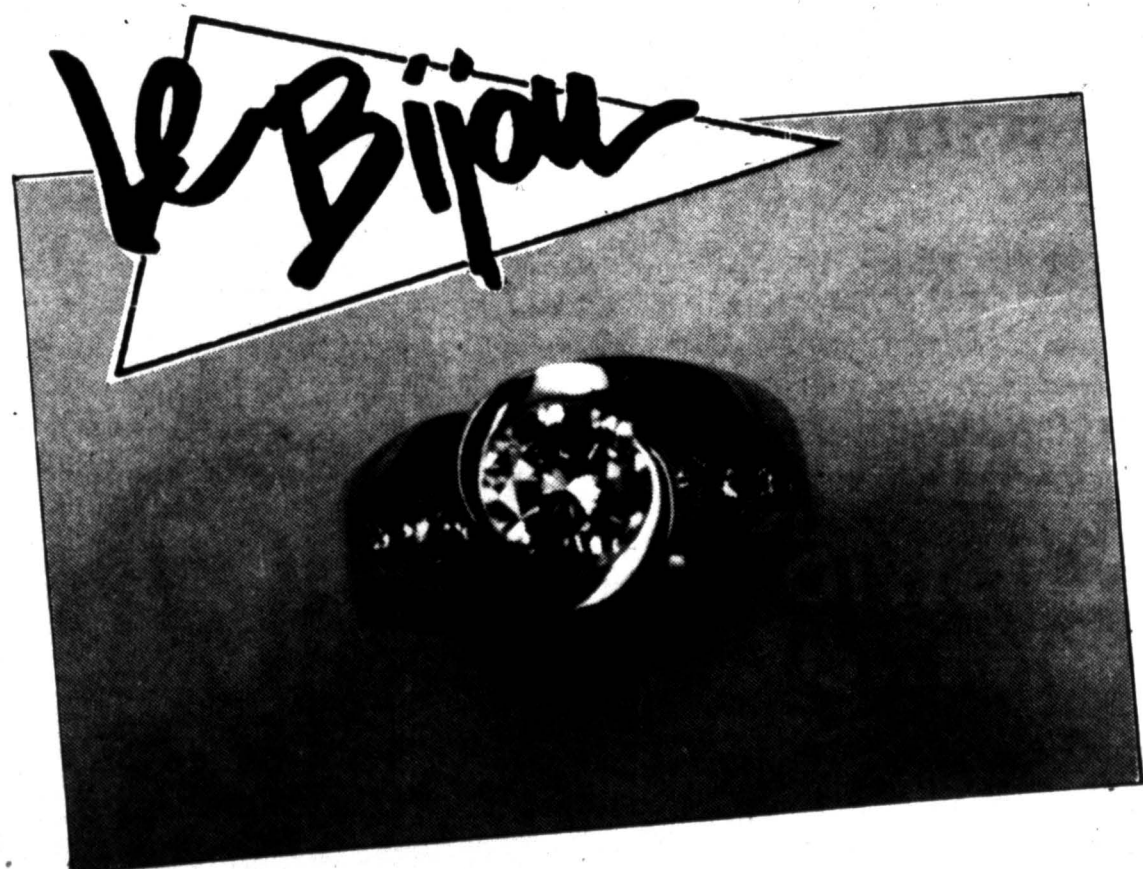
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By Doris Day

Living gifts

SOME ADVICE bears repeating, so it's time again to talk about giving pets as holiday gifts.

Although the thought of surprising someone special with a four-legged friend seems like a terrific idea, the holidays are a particularly difficult time to introduce a new pet into a household. All of the things we love about this season — the visitors, the tree with its sparkling lights and shiny ornaments, the excitement and commotion — can be very confusing and frightening to a little newcomer.

If you decide to give someone the gift of a new pet, why not give them the gift of choosing it as well? How about presenting a gift certificate from the DDPF or the SPCA? Make your own greeting card with a verse you've written about your idea. Or buy some of the items the new pet will need — like bowls, food, brushes, toys, a little box — and wrap them as gifts along with your "note of intent."

Choosing a pet is an important decision and a very personal one, so let the owner-to-be select just the right pet at just the right time — when the holiday commotion is over.

MORE HOLIDAY SAFETY TIPS

The beautiful plants and flowers that make this time of year so special can also injure your pet. The red or white leaves of a poinsettia produce a milk sap that can irritate an animal's skin and upset his tummy, if eaten. Holly berries, or castor beans, can be extremely poisonous and symptoms may not appear for 18-24 hours. Mistletoe is very dangerous to pets; all parts of the plant are toxic, but the berries are especially poisonous.

Prevent your pet from drinking harmful Christmas tree water by covering the stand, and be sure to secure the tree properly so it can't be knocked over.

Sweets, cakes and cookies are human snacks and can upset an animal's metabolic balance, leading to serious

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If you think your pet has eaten a poisonous substance, call your veterinarian or poison control center immediately, even if you see nothing alarming right away. As I said, symptoms may not appear until the next day and that may be too late to save your pet's life.

Have a safe, happy and healthy holiday. See you next week!

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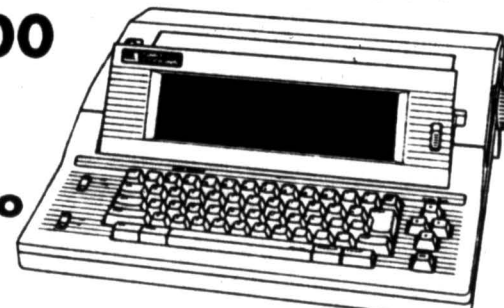
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Some CMS sixth-graders inadvertently left off first quarter honor roll

IN THE Dec. 5 issue of the *Carmel Pine Cone* we inadvertently left out several names of students who made the honor roll for the Carmel Middle School for the first quarter of the 1991-92 school year. We regret any inconvenience this error may have caused.

Here are the sixth-grade students who should have been included on the list. Congratulations!

Honors 3.67-3.00

Patrick LaGoy
Meghan Lehman
Carli Livesey
Dashiel Nemeth
Christa Querfurth
Branham Sanborn
Sadie Thomas
Rebecca Twa
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Jaedra Luke
Narciso Perez
Andrew Retherford
Emily Rohan
Sage Scherman
Leila Curtis

Star Journeys

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disappointments. To continue feeling the way you do is very sad and unnecessary. Take a chance, risk. If you don't, you are existing, and that's not living. Don't let fear, rigidity and negative assumptions run your life.

Your son has the chart of a European male rather than an American one — he's a lover of life and rather theatrical in behavior, as he dramatizes emotion. Is he an actor? Painter? Sculptor? He's warmhearted, outgoing, sunny and affectionate. The aspects between you express enduring compatibility. It's an emotionally comfortable relationship and he would enjoy your mothering instincts, and believe it or not, you have been very instrumental in nourishing his soul. I'd start packing, if I were you!



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For details or to schedule an appointment, call 649-0834.

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Space is limited. For more information or reservations, call 649-0834.

Survivors of incest gather

Survivors of Incest Anonymous, a 12-step recovery program for women age 18 or older, meets 7 to 9 a.m. each Friday.

There are no dues or fees. The program is open to women who have been abused by a family member or anyone the child trusted. For more information, contact Bobbi Mosley at 899-4131.

Gepetto's Collectibles is filled with treasures for serious collector

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answered "I don't know."

The Hatton Canyon EIS was of no help either. It makes almost no mention of traffic signals, much less how they could be used for each alternative.

Signal synchronization is a fundamen-

tal aspect of any road improvement project. It is therefore very strange that Caltrans is unable (or unwilling) to provide any information on the subject.

James B. Toy
Monterey

No parking at Monastery

Dear Editor:

RE: Proposed parking lot at Monastery Beach, Highway One, Carmel:
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Some say it must be built because, "The general plan," requires it. That is a poor reason if it is not needed.

Some say it must be built because, "It is already funded in the budget." That is a terrible reason to do anything.

Monterey County and the California Coastal Commission need to be reminded that, "We the people," are broke and in debt.

Readers must write to their elected officials to make it known that voters/taxpayers do count and do care.

Cutting down trees and endangering a local children's school in order to build an unwanted and unneeded parking lot is

the eight of governmental irresponsibility.

Douglas Mooers
Carmel

Holiday caution

Dear Editor:

During the holiday season our mailboxes fill with an increased number of catalogues, advertisements and solicitations from charitable organizations and non-profit research organizations whose names and work we think we know.

Recently, upon receiving a request for funds from the National Cancer Research Center (2025 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W., Washington D.C.), I thought surely a contribution was merited, until I read the letter carefully and found on its reverse side an accounting of how the donated funds are distributed.

It specified that NCRC is not affiliated with the American Cancer Society.

The letter also stated that National Cancer Research Center spends less than 10 cents of every \$10 contribution for

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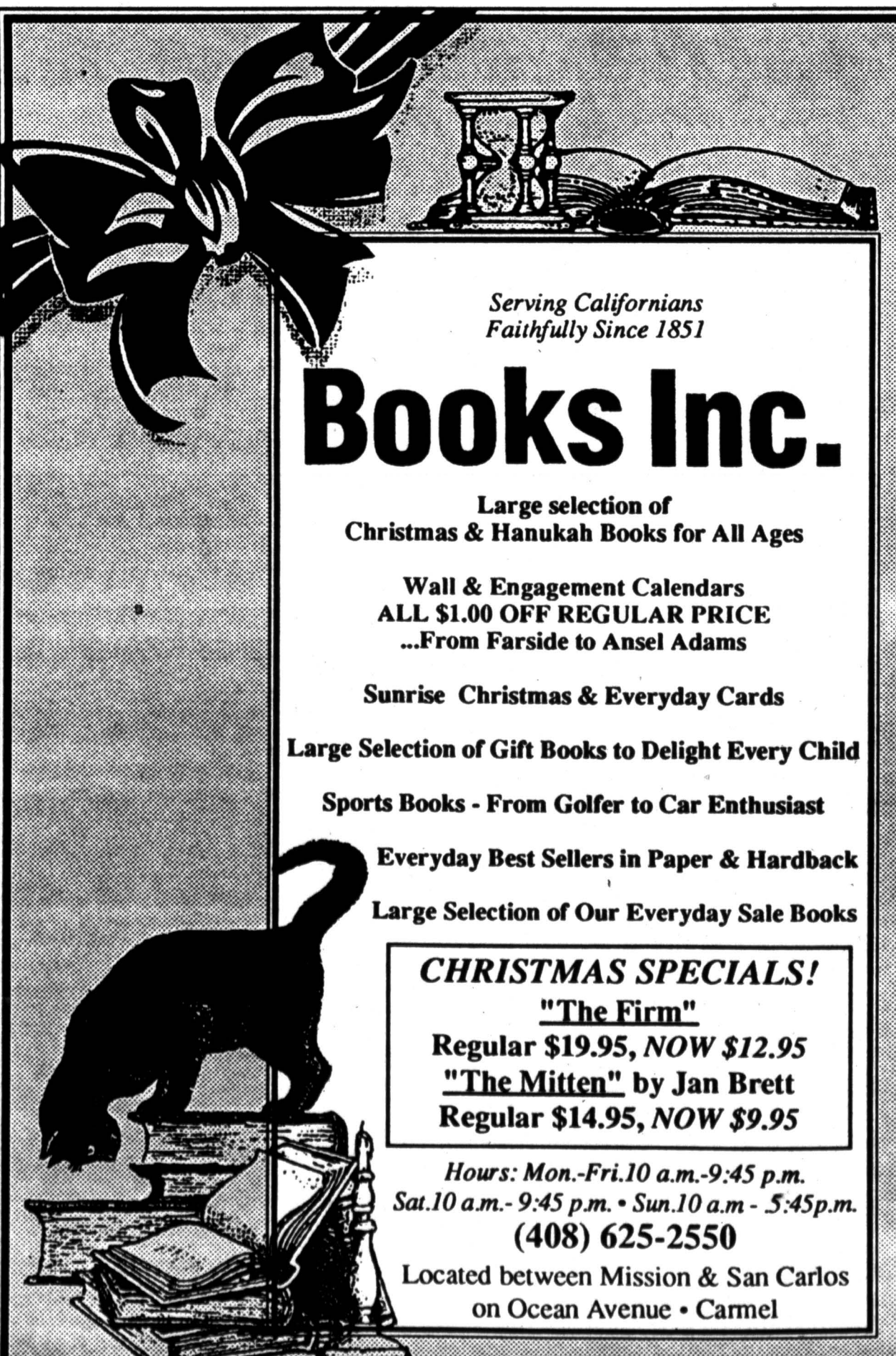
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research. (i.e. .96 percent for research). During its last fiscal year NCRC raised a total of \$2,422,477. Of that, \$23,256 were spent for research. Does this sound like a worthy place to send money for cancer-fighting research? To me it did not.

Many of us are quite vulnerable to requests for solicitations because we have lost loved ones who suffered from terminal incurable diseases. During the holiday season we are more likely to respond generously to appeals for charity and research funds.

That is certainly commendable, but please read the entire solicitation so you will have some assurance that your contribution is going to an organization which applies most, if not all of your donated money toward research or other goals implied by the name of the organization.

Donald J. Wunsch
Carmel

Forest service

Dear Editor:

Congratulations to the Friends of Carmel Forest for outstanding community service and the creation of two superb public service brochures; one a self-guided tour to identify our community's heritage trees, the other a snappy resident's guide on caring for these, our most valuable resources.

You all should be proud.

Greg D'Ambrosio
Assistant City Administrator

The First Murphy

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Gifts have taken the form of money, materials and labor; contributors of the latter two can be seen on the ever-growing list in front of the First Murphy house.

The First Murphy Committee gives thanks for these

wonderful gifts from all of you who have participated so willingly.

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Two years ago, the little First Murphy cottage sat in its original location on Mission Street, uncared-for, rarely used, and lost in the surrounding (and more recent) commercial development. Now, located in a prominent spot in the city's new First Murphy Park, the cottage has been restored to its original architecture and charming appearance.

The cottage now takes an important place in local history, not only as the first house by Master Builder M.J. Murphy, but as the cornerstone of historic preservation in Carmel-by-the-Sea. It will be a comfortable gathering-spot, sure to be well-loved for years to come.

The changes wrought over the past two years to this cottage have been accomplished with a lot of hard work and community participation. The resulting outcome is directly related to the high level of caring and generosity from the many volunteers.

In this season of sharing, we remind ourselves that dreams really can come true. When the first smoke comes wisping out of the First Murphy's brick chimney, when the fuschias bloom once again over the front door, when local residents socialize in its friendly rooms, then

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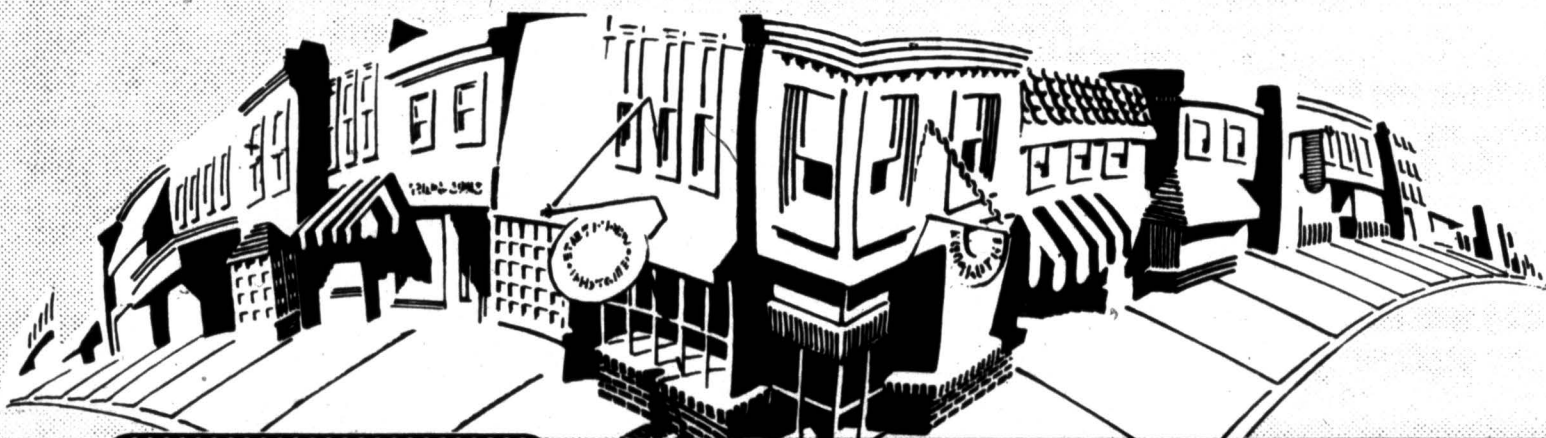
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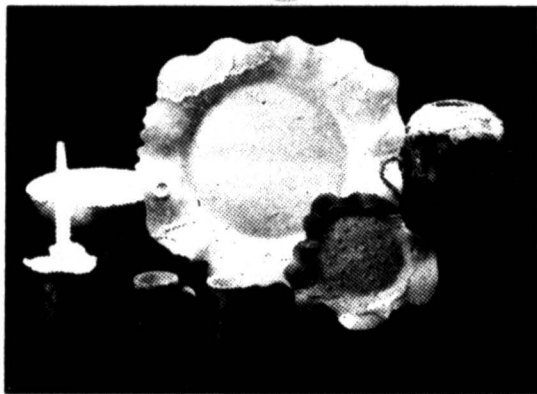
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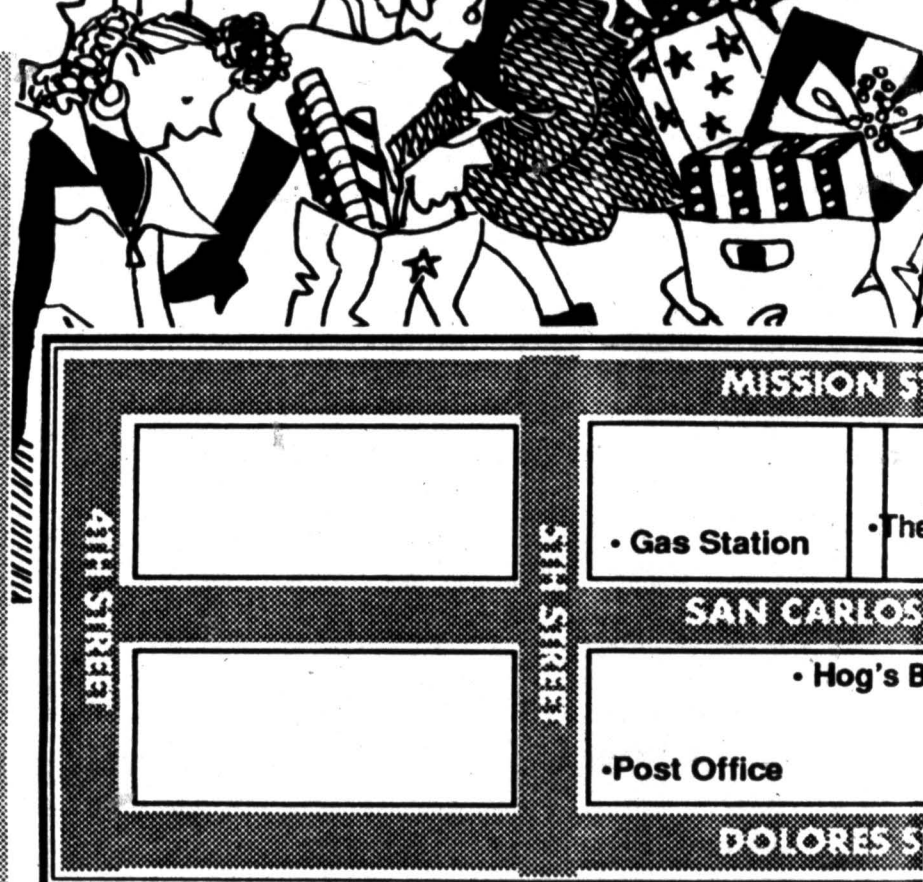
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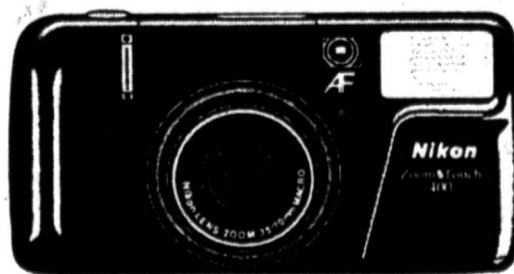
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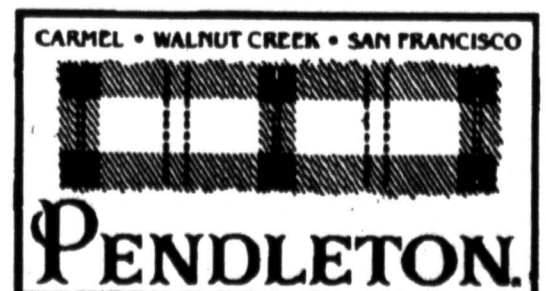
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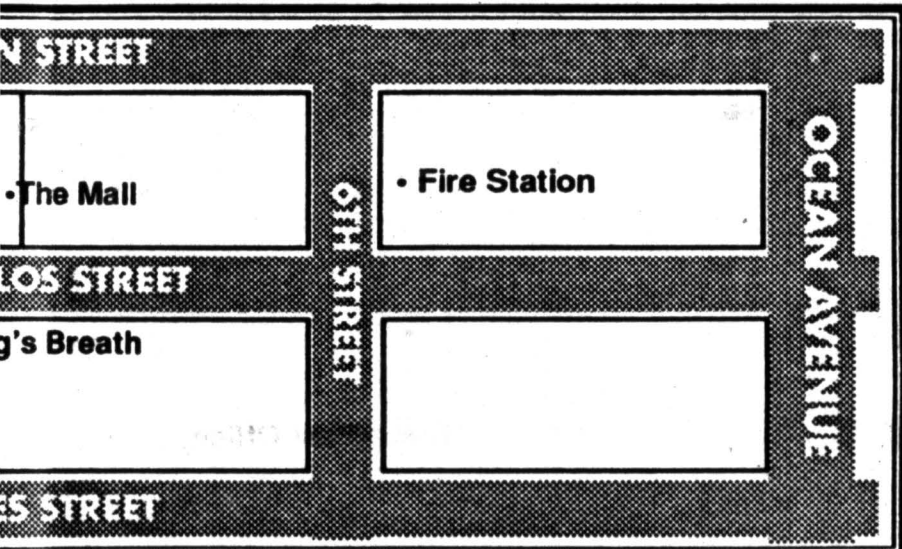
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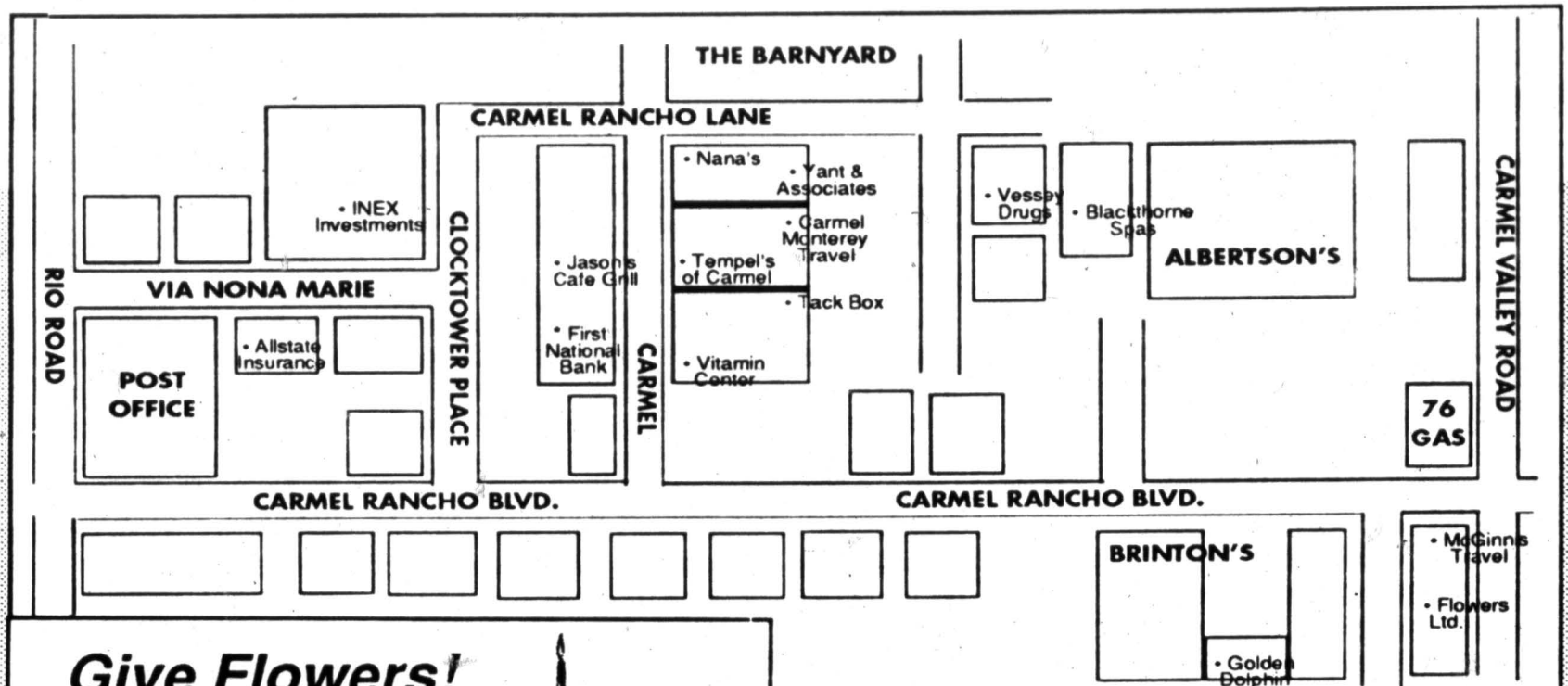


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Water board OK's desal studies

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Water Pollution Control Agency (MRWPCA) plant in Marina.

Brackish water could be pumped from Ranney wells located on the beach, the staffers suggest. Once the water is purified, the waste could be piped to the MRWPCA plant, where it could be treated and released through ocean outfalls.

The plan increases total desal expenditures to \$431,000, according to staff information provided at the meeting. Sites at the MRWPCA plant and the PG&E power plant in Moss Landing have also been mapped, studied and surveyed.

But Farina and the other directors had few problems with the rest of the agenda. In keeping with this rare spirit of cooperation, a new policy on water permit extensions obtained some liberal provisos on its way to approval.

The new policy will allow staff to review permit extensions that previously had to go before the board itself. Under the old rules, permit holders had a year to begin construction. After that, they could apply for a one-year continuation, but additional extensions were available only through the board itself.

The policy prevented speculation on land development and "a run" on water permits," the board packet reads. It does this by discouraging people from buying land and obtaining permits just in case the area undergoes a building boom.

The new guidelines say third-year extensions need only be approved by the staff. In addition, a clause stating that projects using over 2 acre feet would still be under board scrutiny was removed from the new policy's guidelines.

Speaking for some clients, former board member Paul Davis suggested that proviso as well as one that allows extensions

for developers holding tentative maps. The architect said tentative maps are not unlike working titles for a book.

They're presented to permit-approving agencies such as planning departments so builders can have time to draw up a final plan.

"I think the basic guideline is 'if they've got a permit, they've got a permit,'" Director Dick Heuer said in concurrence, adding that too many items are coming before the board as variances, when they could just as easily be handled by staff.

In other news, Joe Oliver, district hydrologist, gave a refreshing report on water pumped from the Carmel Valley aquifers. Oliver said an evaluation by K-2 Environmental put valley nitrate proportions well below Salinas groundwater basin and Seaside aquifer levels.

Salinas nitrate concentrations ranged from two to 100 milligrams per liter, while Seaside's recordings ran from 20 to 30 milligrams, the study revealed.

The valley's highest average nitrate level was 18 milligrams per liter at one site, and the lowest was one to seven per liter. The state standard is 45.

Meanwhile, the Carmel River nitrate level was a mere 5 milligrams per liter. The evaluation was based on ten year's worth of district data and a K-2 study conducted this year over a 30-day period.

The study concluded there does not appear to be any long-term trends of nitrate intrusion in valley water. It advised the district to reduce sampling to a semi-annual basis (during peak and minimum water level times in April and October) rather than a quarterly one.

In other action, the directors unanimously approved a memorandum of understanding with the Monterey County Resources Agency and the Pajaro Valley

Water Management Agency. The agreement encourages communication and interaction between the three agencies, particularly when they're dealing with overlapping interests.

In other business, the decision was unanimous on alterations to the water

moratorium ordinance. The approval changes the residential retrofit ratio from two-to-one to one-and-a-half-to-one. Also, new projects dedicated to public health, safety or welfare are exempt from the retrofit ratio clause, according to the changes.



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Yo Santa!

SANTA CLAUS has come to town.

Sometimes short, sometimes tall, plump or just lumpy, Santa always lights up everyone's face whenever he appears. He was round and jolly at "Holiday Open House" at The Lodge at Pebble Beach, trimly bearded at the Christmas tree lighting in Carmel, thinly disguised at the Rancho San Carlos family Christmas party and a bit harried at Albertsons grocery store.

Before he made his grand entrance at The Lodge at Pebble Beach he told a Pebble Beach Company employee he was worried. Couldn't see over his stomach and didn't want to slip on the man-made ice and snow. As he handed out presents at Rancho San Carlos a six-year-old boy turned knowingly to another young man and said, "That's not really Santa, it's Earl, the mechanic; but don't tell my little brother." Two children shopping with their mother saw Santa in the express line at Albertsons. "Hi, Santa," they called across the store. He smiled, grabbed his sack of groceries, laughed, "Ho, ho, ho," and dashed out the door.

It takes a special love for the holidays to don the red suit, beard and big belly, often on a volunteer basis, and watch young faces turn from skepticism to wonder. Santas are the spirit of Christmas, even more so now that the creche has come under attack for being too religious. So don't call him St. Nick. Merry Christmas Santa, whoever you are.

PEEPS

Anyone remember Philip Durbrow? Carmel High class of '57.

Durbrow is an image consultant. We're not sure what that means, but he doesn't do power colors. Durbrow has advised international clients such as the Jardine family of Hong Kong, subjects of James Clavell's book, Noble House. Durbrow is currently consulting Rancho San Carlos.

You must remember Eric Calderon, former genteel general manager of The Lodge at Pebble Beach. Eric now manages the Little Nell Hotel in Aspen with the help of Barbara Piper, also a former Lodge employee. The Little Nell, owned by former Pebble Beach Company patrone Marvin Davis, recently achieved a five diamond rating. Congratulations Eric. Marvin never drew five diamonds at Pebble or the celebrities he loves to surround himself with, but the Little Nell has attracted both. We've been told Ivana Trump and Michael Jackson may be hanging their stockings at the Little Nell this Christmas eve.

If the Little Nell and real snow at Christmas appeal to you, keep in mind, Christmas week rates are quoted only on request, and only if you're sitting down.

Looking ahead to the "Masters of Food and Wine" scheduled for Feb. 25 - Mar. 1, 1992 a name at the bottom of the international line up caught our eye. Chef Roy Yamaguchi of Hawaii. Roy owns Roy's Restaurant in Honolulu, home of the best crab cakes east of the Pacific Rim. Yamaguchi will be combining his unique east-west cooking with Joachim Splichal of Los Angeles and Charlie Trotter of Chicago for a dinner on Wednesday, Feb. 26 in the Wine Room.



THERE'S SURE to be fines galore for this group! Dennis Mills, Sandra Chrietberg, Jack and Shirley Holt and Charles Chrietberg paused in front of the Highlands Christmas tree at the Rotary Christmas party.



CARMEL FOUNDATION volunteer coordinator Kim Martirano helped Carmel-By-The-Sea Garden Club member Pam Smith unload fresh and fragrant Christmas arrangements.



BOB BUSSINGER and still-newlyweds Cole and Paulette Weston watched the bidding at the "Carmel Memorabilia Auction" held at the La Playa.



THE ANNUAL Children's Services Center Christmas party gives board members and volunteers an opportunity to see the results of the work they do in support of the Center. Vice President Ed Flatley, Board member Helen Matulich and President Chris Bock greeted foster and adoptive families and their children.

Robert Mondavi will introduce the wines. Sounds like a great evening. Call Highlands Inn at 624-3801 for reservation information.

Unless his doctor says no, Joe Montana is scheduled to play in the 1992 AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am. Also look for several members of the Jack Nicklaus family to be on the AT&T roster.



NANCY AND Victor Critchlow, (left and right) and Paula Arnold (second from left), enjoyed hearing about international living from French high school student Estelle Pladys. Estelle's stay in Carmel is sponsored by the Carmel-By-The-Sea Rotarians and she lives with the Arnold family.



GROVEMONT FOUNDER Stephen Moorer called for bids on this Forest Theater poster from 1917.



CHRISTOPHER COOK got a big bear hug at the Children's Services Center Christmas party.



AMBER LESTER, Leslie Mitchell and Keisha Mitchell sang Christmas carols for families who attended the Children's Services Center Christmas party.

HOLIDAY HAPPENINGS

Members of the Carmel-By-The-Sea Garden Club picked up on the spirit of the times this year and called their annual Christmas event a recycling workshop. They reused their garden trimmings and made them into Christmas arrangements for the Carmel Foundation, Hospice, and the Carmel Library. Clippings of redwood, Continued on page 19



CYRUS AND Jean Fitton chatted with Keith Davison at the Carmel-By-The-Sea Rotary Club dinner held at Highlands Inn.

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cypress, holly and pine from local hedges and trees were transformed into miniature decorated Christmas trees for dinner trays that were taken to more than 80 shut-ins, baskets of greens for holiday tables at the Carmel Foundation and arrangements for both libraries. In addition to the holiday arrangements the Garden Club also made a \$1,000 donation to the Carmel library.

Children's Services Center held their annual Christmas Party at the Senior Center in Pacific Grove. Over 150 children attended with their parents and enjoyed the pot-luck dishes provided by staff, board members and volunteers.

Just prior to the Christmas season Carol Biddle, executive director of Children's Services Center, attended the presidential signing ceremony for National Adoption Week at the White House.

Julie and Dana Caldwell, who were adopted through the Center, were also present for the ceremonies with President Bush in the Roosevelt Room on Nov. 27. Their father is Col. William Caldwell, a former student at the Naval Postgraduate School, who is now a White House Fellow, working for the President in the office of Public Liaison. Biddle represented the Children Services Center and adoption agencies in California and the West Coast.

Children's Services Center has served 67 children in its foster treatment program and 41 children in adoptive homes this past year. Nationwide there are over 30,000 American children available for adoption.

President Bush in the Roosevelt Room?

The Old Carmel Memorabilia Auction and Dart Tournament Finals were just a few of the week-long activities organized as part of the "British Holiday" held in Carmel. Visitors were intrigued by the events and one couple spent an entire afternoon, first taking tea and crumpets at Katy's Cottage and then moving on to a port tasting at the Cypress Inn where they found a congenial group gathered in the cozy cocktail lounge.

IRONIES & INTRIGUES

Carmel's "British Holiday" promotion served several purposes without really meaning to. Intended to stimulate business during a normally quiet period, it also showed Carmelites how boring they've become. Brits may not have a reputation for the being the most colorful people in the world, but they certainly spiced up Carmel for one brief week. We hope to see another "British Holiday" next year.

At the recent "Barbara Party" held at Portofino several of the Barbaras showed up late. They all agreed tardiness is just one of the endearing Barbara traits. Could the courier who was hired by Pebble Beach Company's attorneys to carry the Coastal Commission appeal to the County Clerk's office been named Barbara?

Sounds like the Monterey Ad Club's annual Sam Seagull Awards laid a rotten egg this year.

In the most recent issue of the Ad Club's newsletter President Sally Altrocchi defends the award night and the goals of the awards committee to her detractors. Altrocchi candidly expresses her hurt and disappointment and closes her letter frankly by saying, "What those who are insane enough to do it again would love in addition to your constructive comments is your help next year!"

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BARRY STADE and Joyce Tankersly were among those attending the Carmel-By-The-Sea Rotary Club dinner.



IRENE CRISPO, (right) and Morley Brown (left) co-chaired the "Jesters Jolly." Frank Crispo had a jolly time.



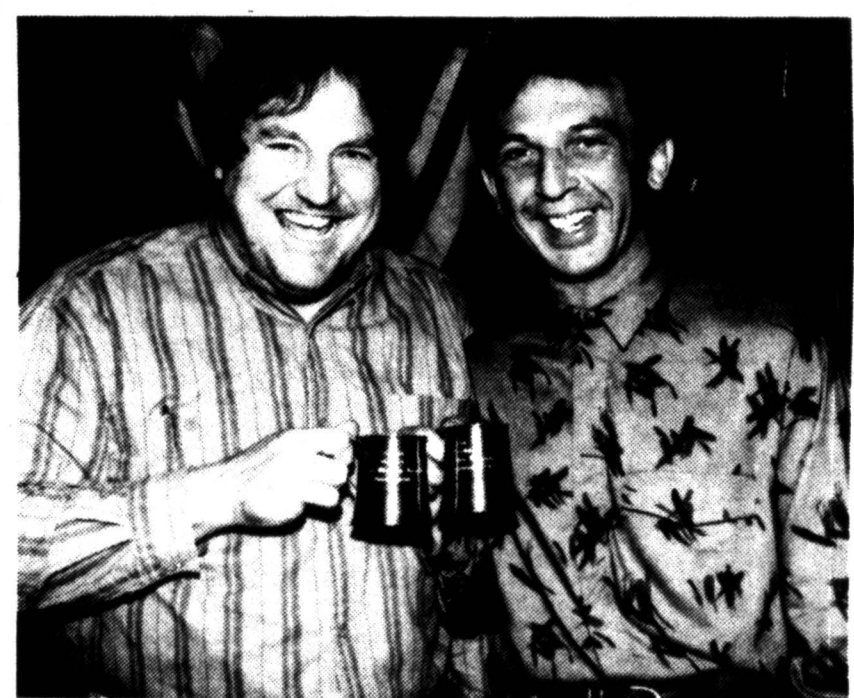
DOLORES AND Steven Gunia danced to the music of the Danceables at the "Jesters Christmas Jolly" held at the Monterey Plaza Hotel.



VON AND Al Rilling enjoyed the "Christmas Jolly" with Jester's President Virginia Poland and her husband Jim.



JOE AND Lily Eccher greeted guests arriving at the "Jesters Christmas Jolly."



SECOND PLACE "Dart Tournament" winners Bruce Loomam and Brendan Saggars received teeny, tiny mugs.



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Artist Donald Teague died Friday, Dec. 13 at his home in Carmel. He received many accolades as an artist throughout his life, including the singular honor of being the only watercolorist member of the Carmel Art association to be made a national academician. He was a member of the National Academy of Western Art and the Cowboy Artists of America, and an honorary member of the American Watercolor Society.

People privileged enough to know Donald personally will also remember the twinkle in his eye, his keen wit and gentle nature. In the forward to the 1988 book on his work, Donald Teague, A Life in Color, Carmel watercolor

artist and Teague student Jack Lestrade pays homage to the master.

"His entire life has been devoted to excellence, first as a human being and second as an artist. I believe him to be the epitome of the select few who have truly mastered the art of the watercolor medium."



WINNERS OF the Kiwanis "Dart Tournament for team competition Roger Montgomery and Angie Loomer received hefty trophy mugs.



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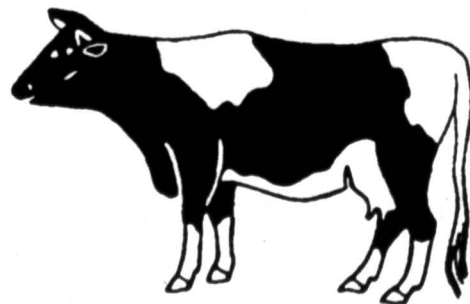
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The Alliance on Aging, a nonprofit agency serving the Monterey county seniors since 1970, will be distributing Holiday Gift Baskets and Poinsettias to homebound seniors on Thursday and Friday, Dec. 19 and 20.

Sponsors of the project are the residents of the Classic Residence by Hyatt (the Parklane), Pier 1 Imports and the Yoder Brothers nursery of Chualar have joined forces to donate assorted gifts and Christmas cheer.

For more information call 372-5102 or 646-4636.

CHRISTMAS FAIR FOR KIDS SET FOR DEC. 22

The Kids' Christmas Fair on Sunday, Dec. 22 is to highlight parent's awareness of community programs centered around children. It also spotlights local businesses that cater to or involve young people.

Everyone is invited to join in the fun filled day with a live teenage Mutant Ninja show and Santa Clause will be there, plus a martial arts demo, carolers, puppets, clowns, games, raffles and many other events.

The fair will be held at the Monterey Conference Center in Monterey from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

CAROLING EVENT SET FOR DEC. 21

A group of five community leaders have joined hands to sponsor a community-wide Christmas Caroling event on Saturday, Dec. 21, beginning at 6:30 p.m. at Lovers Point in Pacific Grove.

The public is invited and over 100 carolers are expected to join Santa Claus and his live band as they cover a

circular caroling route from Lovers Point on Ocean View Boulevard to Asilomar Avenue, onto Lighthouse Avenue, and finally to Forest Avenue and back to Lovers Point. Songbooks will be provided by Kinko's of Monterey and hot chocolate will be provided by Carl's Jr. of Monterey.

This event has been organized by Pacific Grove residents Gary Kimes, Judy and Ross Andreson, Carmel Valley resident Roz Zanides, and Gregg Stebben of Carmel. The group is expecting a large turnout, with invitations sent to schools, libraries, businesses and other organizations throughout the peninsula. Carolers are encouraged to bring high spirits, warm clothing and flashlights to the event.

Please contact Gregg Stebben at 649-5959 for more information.

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In keeping with the spirit of Christmas, all unsold tickets, as well as those purchased and donated back, will be given to handicapped, underprivileged and elderly people through one of the following organizations: Special Olympics, Big Brother/Big Sister, Easter Seals, Carmel Foundation, and others.

For further information contact Robert Dayton or Andy Lowe at the Carmel Highlands Fire station at 624-2374.

CHRISTMAS PARTY FOR THE HOMELESS "SHARE THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT PROJECT"

On Saturday Dec. 23 a very special event will take place — a Christmas Party for the Homeless. The event is co-sponsored by The Franciscan Workers and Pacific Coast Church.

The event includes a holiday meal, entertainment and a party where Santa will give presents to children and adults.

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Meals on Wheels needs volunteers

DRIVERS AND other volunteers are need to deliver 280 meals daily to shut-ins and the handicapped on the peninsula for Meals on Wheels.

According to Chuck Poland, a Carmel volunteer, 280 homes are served with three meals five days a week from Carmel Valley to Marina, but 25 volunteer drivers are needed daily to deliver those meals.

Each shut-in is delivered a breakfast, one cold meal (usually a sandwich, salad

and juice), and one hot meal. He added that volunteers are also needed to prepare the meals at the Meals on Wheels facility at 700 Jewell Ave. in Pacific Grove.

The agency also serves lunch to 125 seniors at the facility every day.

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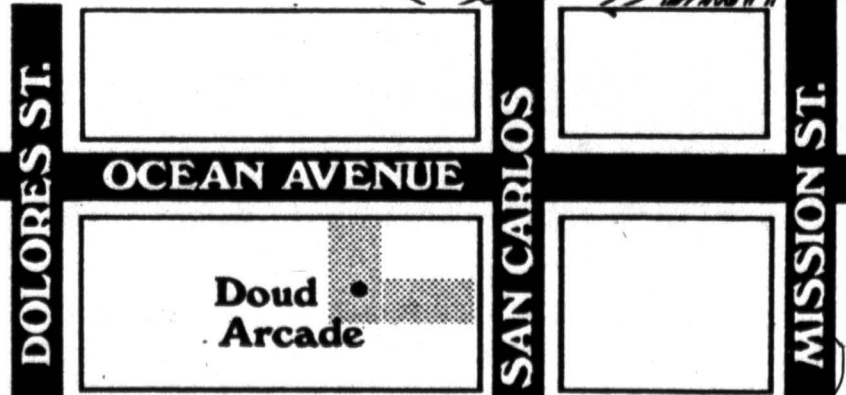
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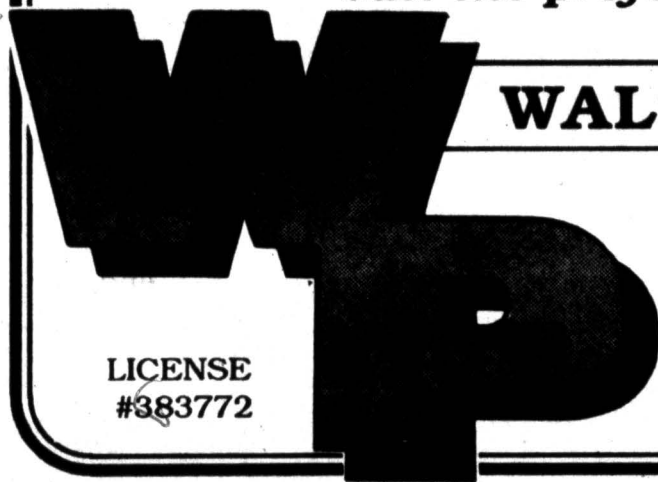
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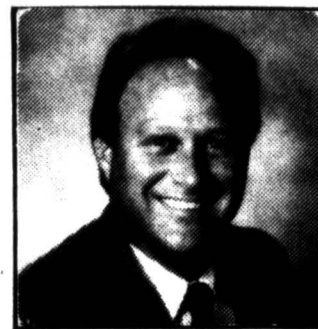
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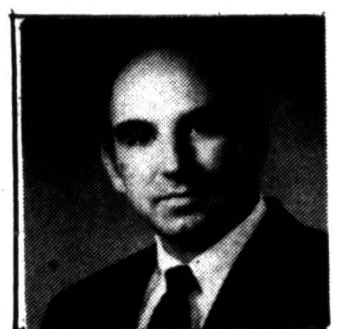
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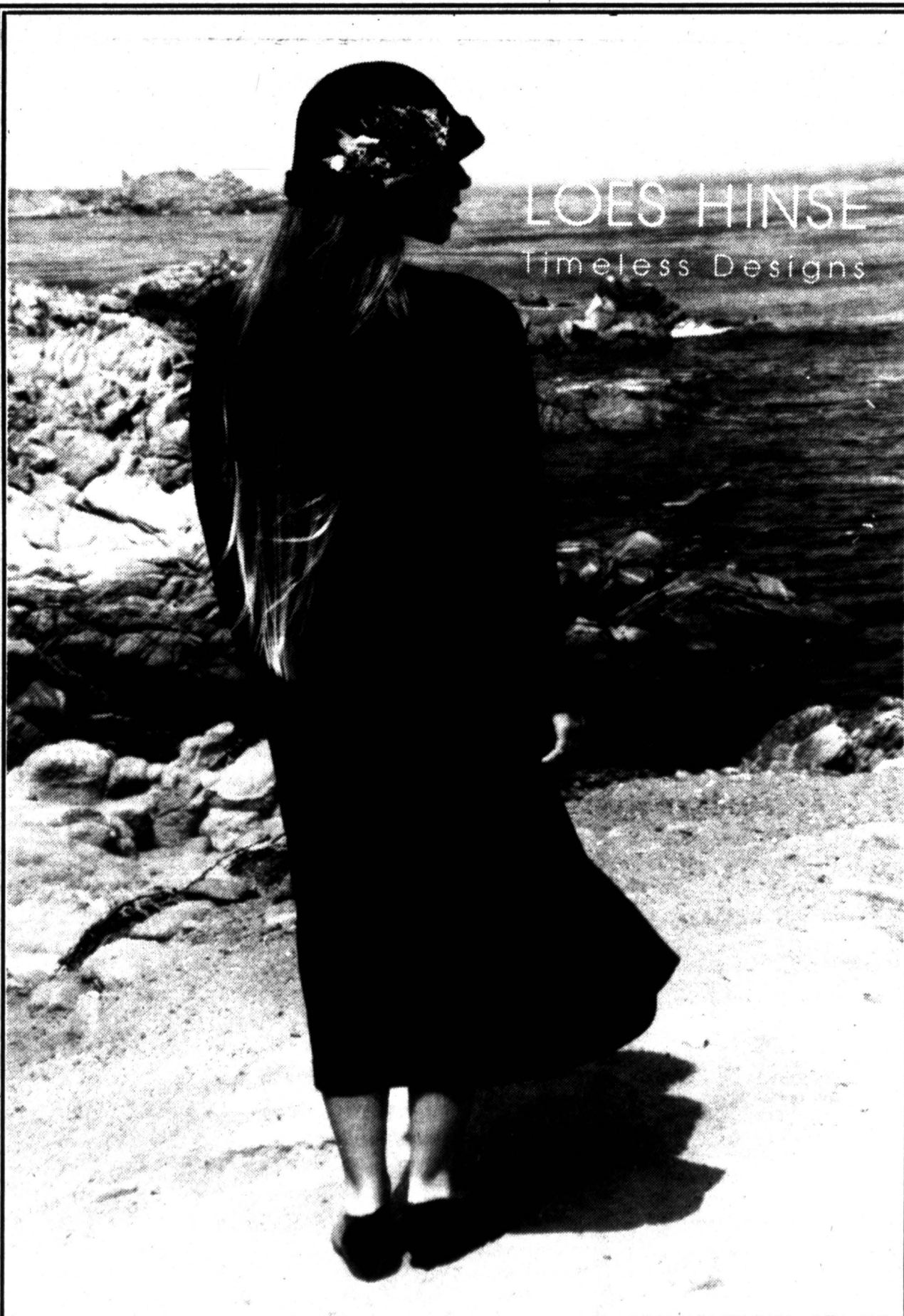
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Pine Whispers

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At last year's party over 700 people were fed and given presents. This year we expect more people in attendance and we need your help and support.

SPIRIT IS UP FOR CHRISTMAS

The sixth annual Spirit of Christmas Toy Drive to collect presents for the children of the Family Resource Center is now in full swing. There are numerous gift drop-off locations, including all Wells Fargo Banks locations in the greater Monterey/Salinas area, Mail Boxes Etc. outlets in the tri-county area, First Watch Restaurant and The Toy Club (both located at the north end of the American Tin Cannery Shopping Center) and the Monterey Plaza Hotel on Cannery Row. Unwrapped toys suitable for children ages 1-13 years are being collected through Dec. 19 and will be distributed on Dec. 21. "The boxes are filling up quickly, said Roger Pasquier, President of Ocean 105 radio. It has been gratifying to see the generosity of people this year."

Throughout the week of Dec. 16, members of the Ocean 105 staff will be broadcasting from various Wells Fargo and Mail Boxes, Etc. locations in Monterey and Salinas between 7 and 9 a.m. "Elves" from the Pacific Grove Lions and the Navy Security Detachment of the Defense Language Institute will wrap the gifts as their contribution to

the cause. For further information regarding the Spirit of Christmas and drop-off points call Ocean 105 Radio at 375-2242 or the Family Resource Center at 394-4622.

BRIDGE CLUB RESULTS REVEALED

On Wednesday, Dec. 11, Carmel Bridge Club held its Annual Membership Game. Over three and one half masterpoints were won by the top scoring pair, Corinne Somers and Frank Ivie. Their first place overall was followed closely by the second overall winners Phyllis Sokol and Barbara Yeomans.

Third place overall was won by Carla Isberg and Florence Luckett; fourth place by Shirley Temple and Nancy Haverty.

Section winners included Orlando Seversen and Dick Doe, Rick Kernoll and Dorothy Sodorini, Edie Karas and Dick Vreeland and Betty Jackson and Delia Guildford.

All bridge players in the area are invited to participate in the weekly Wednesday afternoon games.

Call 625-4307 for information.

CARMEL YOUTH CENTER ENGAGES ARCHITECT FOR REMODEL

The Carmel Youth Center Board of Directors has announced they have elected to engage the Architect Wayne E. Iversen of Wallace Holm Architects, Inc., to manage the multi-purpose room remodel. Funds have been spe-

cifically granted from the Harden Foundation for remodeling of the multi-purpose room. Mr. Iversen is also managing the remodel of Monterey County SPCA, funded through the Harden Foundation.

SOROPTIMIST INTERNATIONAL OF CARMEL BAY SUPPORTS LOCAL ENVIRONMENT

In support of our local environment and the need for further education Soroptimist International of Carmel Bay has published a brochure for the "Friends of Carmel Forest" as one of many of its service projects in the community.

The brochure which has been mailed to residents and property owners contains educational information regarding our urban forest, "Friends of Carmel Forest" and programs that are available, such as "Adopt-A-Tree" and "Plant-A-Tree. Further information on these programs is available by contacting the City Forester Department at 624-3543, or the Friends of Carmel Forest at 626-1610.

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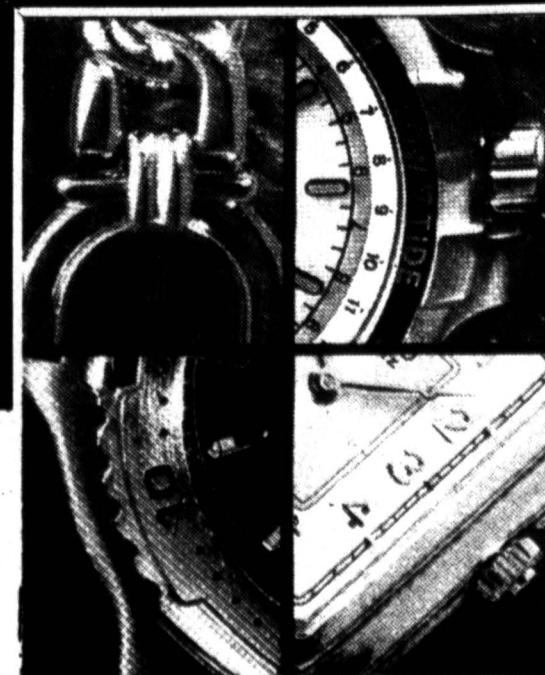
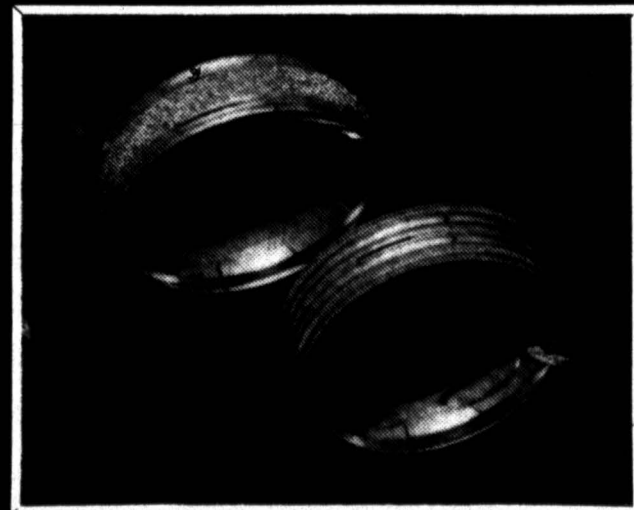
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Father Farrell's Wisdom

Merry Christmas

YEARS AGO I had a French professor, M. L'Abbe Jean Jacques Pellier, who would have made an ideal dinner companion for the character in Charles Dickens' *Tale of Two Cities*, Madame La Farge. She knitted vigorously and joyfully as the heads of French nobles were chopped off by the efficient invention of Dr. Josef Iynoe Guillotine.

M. L'Abbe Pellier would say, with genuine venom and obvious delight, "I forgive, but I never forget." Of course, this meant that he cherished all injuries real and imaginary. He encased them carefully in a strong box from which he brought his gems of hatred to embarrass, shame and perplex his friends and foes.

We wonder how many marriages, family relations and friendships have been wrecked on the rocks of a long and mean memory. As we prepare for Christmas we should begin by digging a grave 6-feet deep and bury the box of injuries without a headstone. This is the ideal time to put into practice our blessed Lord's advice to forgive not seven times, but seventy times seven.

The Rev. Peter Marshall, the beloved Presbyterian minister and chaplain to the United States Senate during the late 1940s, wrote: "Lord, Thou has asked me to love my neighbors and friends as I love myself. That would be a lot of loving, Lord, give me the courage to go to a friend against whom I hold a grudge and say, 'I am sorry, forgive me'."

At a kindergarten Christmas party there was a play. Four little angel sheld golden glittering letters which spelled out, "STAR." Unfortunately, like many of us, they came out on the stage in reverse. In this order it really doesn't spell out the Christmas message does it?

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Obituaries

Donald Teague

Renowned Carmel watercolor artist Donald Teague died in his Carmel home Dec. 13. He was 94.

Mr. Teague was born in Brooklyn, N.Y. Nov. 27, 1897, the older of two brothers. His mother, Frances Ireland Teague, died when he was 12, and his father reared their two boys alone.

Early on he evidenced both an interest and an ability in art. After graduating from Erasmus Hall High School, he chose to enter the Art Students League of New York rather than go on to college.

His first job involved lettering subway car cards for \$15 a week. As a lettering man he earned enough to take his first trip abroad.

"From that point on," he said, "everything was different." In his travels he made numerous sketches which later, with the help of his mentor, Dean Cornwell, he refined into samples for making the rounds of the magazines, which led to his first job as an illustrator.

The '20s and '30s were for Donald Teague a period devoted to work as an il-

lustrator, study and travel. In 1938 he married Verna Timmins, the daughter of another illustrator and painter, and they moved to Southern California where their daughters, Linda and Hilary, were born.

In 1949, Teague moved his family to Carmel, California, where they rented for two years before moving into the home he and his wife designed, and in which they resided until their deaths. Verna died on a trip to France in 1985.

Considered by many as the dean of American watercolor, his painting career spanned more than 70 years. The first half of his career he made his living as an illustrator for *The Saturday Evening Post*, *Collier's* magazine (under the name of Edwin Dawes), *McCall's*, *Women's Home Companion*, and others. At the same time he was also exhibiting in the annual shows of the National Academy of Design and the American Watercolor Society.

In 1958 Crowell Collier Publications folded, and at that time he gave up his career as an illustrator in favor of fine arts painting. He painted the local scenery—Cannery Row, Pebble

Beach, Carmel Valley and Big Sur — well as scenes from his travels to Europe, the Near East, the Middle East, South Africa, China and Bangkok.

Through the years, Teague's devotion to his work has been rewarded with acceptance from the public and his peers. In 1982, the PBS program "Profiles in American Art" featured Teague and 12 other artists in a series of half-hour programs. In 1984 he received the Benjamin West Clinedinst gold medal from the

Artists' Fellowship in New York; in 1987 the Thomas Gilcrease Museum in Tulsa, Oklahoma, featured a combined retrospective exhibition with Teague, John Clymer and Tom Lovell; he received his Doctor of Fine Arts degree from Pepperdine University in 1989, was awarded lifetime achievement gold medals from the Cowboy Hall of Fame in Oklahoma City and the Society of Illustrators in New York; was made Artist Emeritus of Artists of America, Denver, Colorado, with their most recent show being dedicated to him; and a book about his life and paintings, *Donald Teague - A Life in Color*, was published in 1988.

He has also won numerous medals, including two gold medals of honor from the American Watercolor Society — an honor given to only one other artists since — and five first prizes for watercolor from the National Academy of Design, to which he was elected in 1948, one of very few illustrators ever admitted. He has exhibited



DONALD TEAGUE

in museums all over the United States, in England, France, China, Japan, Mexico, and Australia.

His memberships also include The Salmagundi Club in New York and The Bohemian Club in San Francisco.

Often he would say, "I'm the luckiest person I know. To think I could be allowed to make a living at what I love best."

He survived by his two daughters, Linda Teague Key and Hilary Teague Kitch, and 3 grandsons. Private cremation has taken place and his ashes will be placed beside his wife's in the Teague family burial plot in Richmond, Ind. A memorial service is scheduled for 3 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 21 at the Church of the Wayfarer in Carmel.

In lieu of flowers, his family requests that any donations be made to The Artists' Fellowship, 47 Fifth Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10003.

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Friday, Dec. 20

CONGREGATION BETH ISRAEL

Rabbi Mendel will hold the Shabbat Service at 8:15 p.m. Torah study on Saturday at 10 a.m. with Shabbat services at 11 a.m. Also, the first Friday of every month, a family service is held additionally at 7:30 p.m. The congregation is located at 5716 Carmel Valley Road, Carmel.

Sunday, Dec. 22

ALL SAINTS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The sermon will be preached and the Eucharist celebrated at the 8 a.m., 10 a.m. and 5:30 p.m. services. Rev. Carl Hansen will preach all the services. Wednesday Spiritual Support Group at 7:15 p.m. Sunday School for kindergarten through fifth grade at 10 a.m. Adult Rector's Forum at 9 a.m. Sunday School for Juniors and Seniors at 9 a.m. Senior High Youth will meet at 7 p.m. Childcare provided at the 10 a.m. service. The church is located at Ninth and Dolores, Carmel.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF CARMEL

Service is at the 11 a.m. Tuesdays' "7:01" is for all Junior High Youth and begins at 7:01 p.m., and High School Bible Study Wednesday evening at 7 p.m., both led by Youth Pastor Casey Jones. First Baptist Church of Carmel is at 8340 Carmel Valley Road at Schulte Road.

CARMEL VALLEY COMMUNITY CHAPEL

Service and Sunday School are at 10:30 a.m. Middle School Youth

Group 6-7:30 p.m. The chapel is located on the corner of Paso Hondo Road and Village Drive, Carmel Valley.

CARMEL CHURCH OF RELIGIOUS SCIENCE

Services are held at 11 a.m. There is a Potluck on the first Sunday of the month, and a Wednesday evening healing meditation from 7-8 p.m. The public is invited. All activities are held at the Sanctuary, Carmel American Legion, Dolores and Eighth, Carmel.

CARMEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Services are at 8, 9:30 and 11 a.m. Sunday School for all ages at 9:30 a.m. Nursery care provided. Carmel Presbyterian Church is located at Ocean and Junipero in Carmel.

CHURCH IN THE FOREST

Service is at the 9:30 a.m. The church is located at Stevenson School, Forest Lake Road in Pebble Beach.

THE CHURCH OF THE WAYFARER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Services are at the 9:30 and 11 a.m. Child care provided at both services. Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Church of the Wayfarer is located on Lincoln & Seventh, Carmel.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

Service is held at 10 a.m. at First Church of Christ, Scientist, Carmel, located between 5th and 6th on Monte Verde. Sunday School is held at the same hour. Wednesday evening testimonial meeting is held at 8 p.m. Child care pro-

vided at all services.

COMMUNITY CHURCH OF THE MONTEREY PENINSULA

Service is at the 10:30 a.m. A coffee hour follows morning worship. Church school for children is at 10:30 a.m. Nursery care is provided. The church is a mile east of Hwy 1 on Carmel Valley Road.

EMMANUEL

Service is held at 10 a.m. at the Casa Munrus Garden Hotel in Monterey. Nursery care is provided for all gatherings. Home Bible studies are held every other Wednesday evening.

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Silent meeting for worship at 10:30 a.m. at the O'Donnell Library, 155 Van Buren, Monterey. Everyone invited.

ST. DUNSTAN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Services are at 8 and 10 a.m. Sunday and nursery school at 10 a.m. Child care provided. Coffee hour after the 10 a.m. service. The church is located on Robinson Canyon Road in Carmel Valley.

ST. PHILIP'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Service is at 9:30 a.m. The Reverend Roy Blumhorst will conduct Holy Communion on the

First and third Sundays of the month and a children's sermon on the second and fourth Sundays. Sunday School meets during the worship service. On the second Sunday of the month the entire service is signed for persons with hearing impairments. Child care provided. A coffee hour follows the service. St. Philip's Lutheran Church is located at 8065 Carmel Valley Road, four miles east of Hwy 1.

UNITARIAN

Services are held at 9:30 and 11 a.m. Childcare is available during the service. The Monterey Peninsula Unitarian Church is at Aguajito Road at the intersection of Highway 1 and Hwy 68, Carmel.

UNITY CHURCH OF THE MONTEREY PENINSULA

The Rev. Stretton Smith will give a lesson at the 11 a.m. service. Unity Church is located at the House of Four Winds, 540 Calle Principal, Monterey.

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Services are at 11 a.m. Daily meditation classes from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. and from 7 to 8 p.m. The Korean Buddhist Sambosa is located at 28110 Robinson Canyon Road, Carmel Mid Valley.

ZEN

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the second Tuesday of each month. The Zen Center meets at the Cherry Foundation, 4th Guadalupe, Carmel.

Alzheimer's support group meets

The Alzheimer's Association of Monterey County is a non-profit organization committed to assisting caregivers and family of persons with Alzheimer's Disease or related dementia. Dementia is a medical term for the group of symptoms of deterioration of intellectual function such as memory loss, confusion, and impaired judgment that is severe enough to interfere with work of social activities. The group offers information and support to help caregivers cope with the problems associated with dementia. The Monterey office is located in Mariposa Hall at 801 Lighthouse Ave. The group meets 1:30 to 3 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month and 5:15 to 6:45 p.m. the fourth Monday. For information, contact Toni Jacobsen at 647-9890.

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By Myles Williams

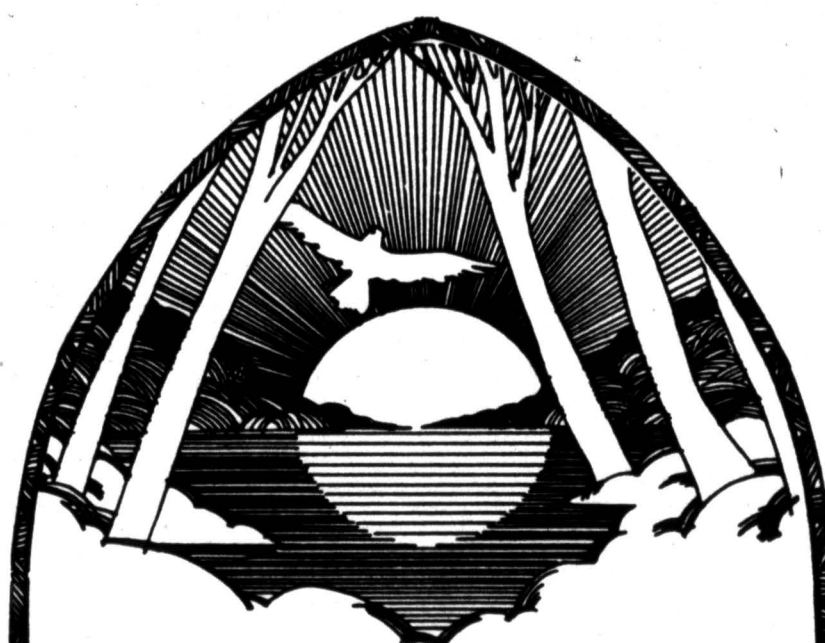
Jeanne Louise Calment celebrated her 116th birthday to become recognized as the world's oldest person at a retirement home in Arles, France. Slightly weakened by a case of the flu, Calment still was able to blow out three candles on her birthday cake. In younger years she was a vigorous tennis player, fencer, mountain climber and hunter. And she rode a bicycle until she turned 100.

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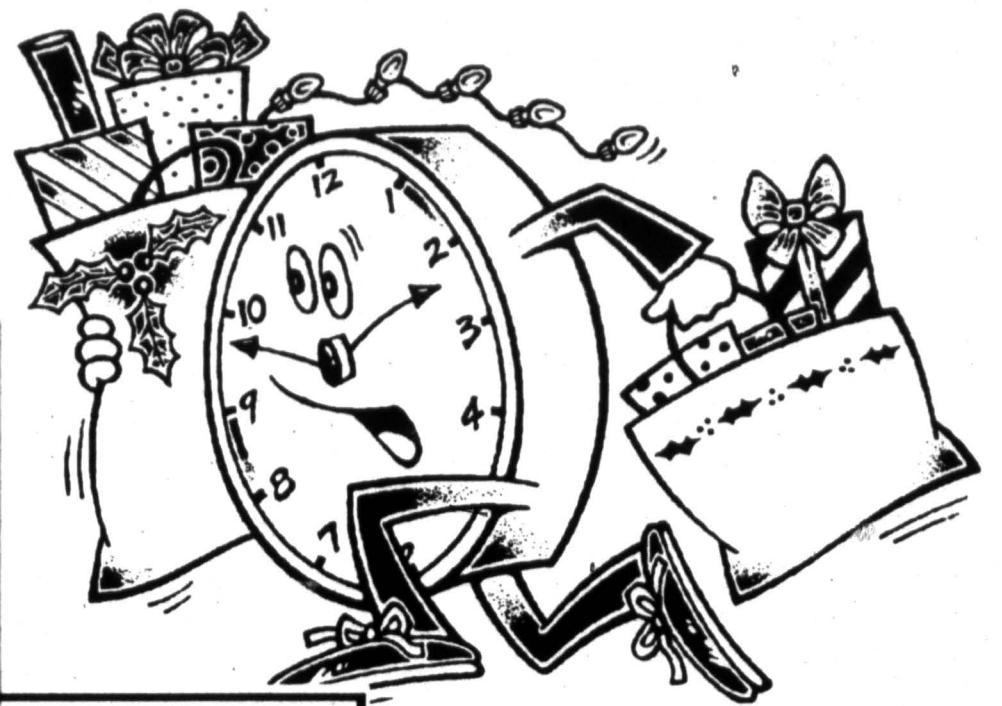
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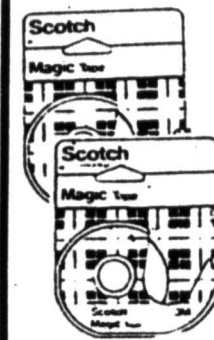
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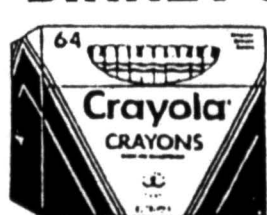


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El Teatro's 'La Pastorela' committed to film

BY JAMES P. KINNEY

IN THE wintry December of 1966, I was one of five or six drivers of a small caravan of cars and station wagons bringing canned goods and warm clothing collected on the Monterey Peninsula to the embattled farm workers of Delano in California's Central Valley. Dick Miller of Pacific Grove and the late Bob O'Brien of Monterey were two of the other drivers.

Ours was a memorable adventure. Cesar Chavez and his newly formed United Farm Workers were trying to do what had never been done before — organize California's field laborers into their own labor union.

Filipino Hall was the drop-off point for donated supplies. Visitors, journalists, supporters, farm workers and their families shared hot soup and intense conversation in that small, unpretentious gathering place in that small, unpretentious Central California town.

It was a moment frozen in time, a time of intense hardship, idealism and sharing. During our visit, we drove out to the picket lines and watched the union's organizers attempting to coax workers out of the fields. We went caroling with their kids. We understand a little of their deprivation when refused service at several local businesses.

One of my sharpest memories was of a group of young performers, led by a charismatic college student named Luis Valdez, performing scenes on the back of a flatbed truck in one of the town's small parks. We little suspected then that we were witnessing the birth of the renowned El Teatro Campesino, which in this year 1991 is celebrating its 25th anniversary.

"Did you ever notice how humanity tries to clean up its act every time a new century rolls around?" Luis Valdez' eyes twinkle as he asks the question, sitting fit and 50, exuberant and maybe a bit thirsty, in one of the popular Mexican restaurants of San Juan Bautista. He has just completed a rehearsal with the El Teatro troupe, opening the live version of "La Pastorela," one of its two traditional Christmas pageant plays performed alternate years in the Old Mission of San Juan.

Valdez takes a sip from his Dos Equis and leans forward, warming to the subject. "That's what the Victorians were all about, you see. They tried to cover up the more earthy aspects of human existence. They censored books, altered their fashions, cleaned up their plays." It's my turn to sip. He waves to friends and acquaintances as he rides energetically along on the idea. "Look what the French court and Church tried to do to Moliere. And the British to Shakespeare. After that great explosion of English theater in the 1590s and early 1600s came the Puritans. No real theater there for more than 50 years."

We have met to discuss the film version of "La Pastorela," written and directed by Valdez, which will be broadcast on PBS on Dec. 23 in the U.S. and simultaneously on England's channel

four and Spain's TVF.

Shot in and around San Juan, the filmed "La Pastorela" will be, like Valdez's popular stage version, a musical retelling of the shepherds' journey to Bethlehem to visit the Christ child. "We've taken it outside again," Valdez says. "Added more comedy, more music, more special effects. We now see the story through the eyes of a young Chicana, knocked unconscious during a raucous performance."

"Sounds a little like Dorothy in the Wizard of Oz," I say.

"Exactly. Another surrealistic dream. Only this time a Latina girl makes the

journey in her own contemporary frame of reference. The shepherds' trip is now peopled with the likes of Linda Ronstadt, Paul Rodriguez, Cheech Marin, Don Novello, Freddy Fender and Flaco Jimenez."

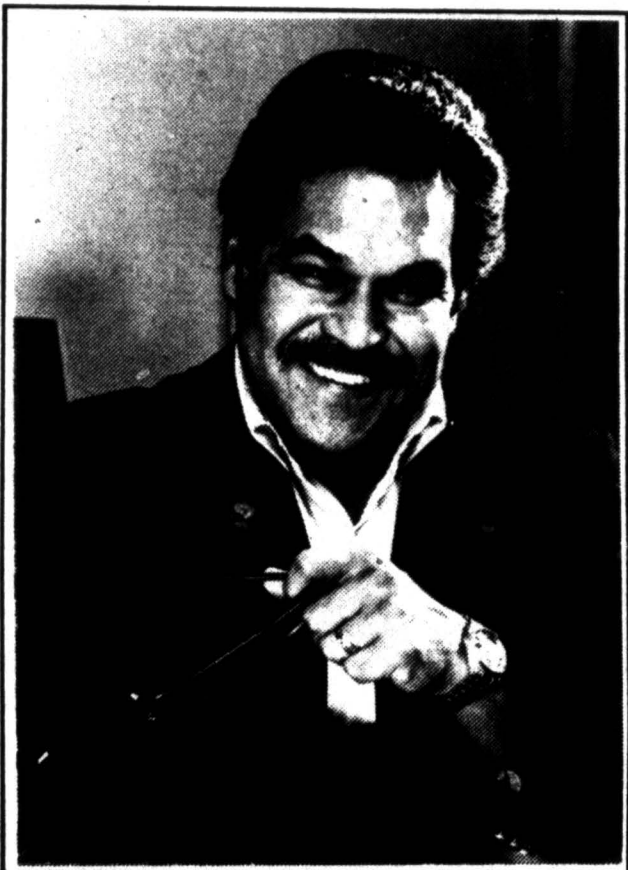
"Will there be devils like in the stage version?" I ask.

Valdez' eyes brighten once again. "Diabolos and diabolitos," he laughs. "If you're going to have angels, you also need devils. Just like in life — it makes the journey more interesting."

He ticks off the

names of some of the show's stars. "Linda Ronstadt plays St. Michael. Paul Rodriguez plays Satan. Robert Beltran is Luzbel. And most of our local El Teatro actors are in it as well."

"But the journey remains the spine of what is still a simple, ageless play. The shepherds, human and earthy, frail but resilient examples of our humanity. The angels, urging them towards their goal, and the devils, trying to trick and confuse them every step along the



LUIS VALDEZ

Film version of 'La Pastorela' set for PBS

LA PASTORELA: The film will be broadcast on PBS, Monday, Dec. 23, in English.

This is the film version as adapted and directed by Luis Valdez. It includes appearances by Linda Ronstadt, Cheech Marin, Paul Rodriguez, Robert Beltran, Little Joe, Lalo Guerrero, Freddy Fender, Lupe Ontiveros and other prominent actors and musicians.

The telecast is a production of Richard Soto Productions/El Teatro Campesino, in association with Thirteen/WNET in New York, England's channel four and Spain's TVE. Check local listings for exact date and time.

The Great Performances is funded by Texaco, the Corporation for Public Broadcasting, the National Endowment for the Arts and public television stations.

Special funding for *La Pastorela* is provided by the Rockefeller Foundation, the National Latino Communications Center, the Dorothy and Lewis Cullman Drama Development Fund and the Aaron Diamond Foundation.



LINDA RONSTADT is one of the stars appearing in the film version of El Teatro Campesino's popular and traditional Christmas pageant plays

performed at the Old Mission in San Juan Bautista. The film also stars Cheech Marin, Paul Rodriguez, Freddy Fender and Robert Beltran.

way."

"How did the film project come about?" I ask an obvious question.

"It was always our intent to adapt the play to film," Valdez replies. "We wanted to make it accessible to the widest audience possible. *Pastorelas* are one of the earliest Western theater traditions. They were performed in Spain and England for over a thousand years. Franciscan missionaries brought them to Mexico in the 16th century, where they are still performed each Christmas Eve, often throughout the entire night. The early Franciscans brought them to Spanish California."

Our meal arrives, hot and spicy, with a second round of Dos Equis. The restaurant is starting to fill with diners. A middle-aged contemporary troubadour begins to circulate between the tables, strumming and singing his traditional Mexican songs.

Luis Valdez, founder and artistic director of El Teatro Campesino, raises his glass. "To traditions," he toasts. "To our roots."

Clearly it is what El Teatro has been about throughout the 25 years that have passed since the scenes on the flatbed truck and that long-remembered December in Delano.

Park ranger-led whale watching excursions available in Big Sur

HEADED DOWN the Big Sur coast for a leisurely weekend drive? Why not stop and join a park ranger and an interested group of people and observe the annual migration of the California Grey Whale?

If you should find yourself around Garrapata State Park on Saturdays in January about 10 a.m., keep an eye out for the "Whale watch" signs south of the California Fish and Game lab at Granite Canyon. There, a park ranger will help you pick out whales and answer your questions.

Want to know how big a grey whale is? Then drive down to the vista point at Julia Pfeiffer Burns State Park, where you can pace off the grey whale painted

on the pavement. On Sundays in January at 10 a.m., the park ranger will help you identify passing whales, as well as other marine mammals.

If you are up to more strenuous exercise, take a tour of the Point Sur State Historic Park on Sundays during January, February and March. A member of the Cetacean Society, Monterey Chapter, will accompany the group to answer questions about marine mammals and help you catch sight of the whales.

For more information about the tours, phone 625-4419.

Don't forget to bring along your binoculars or spotting scope.

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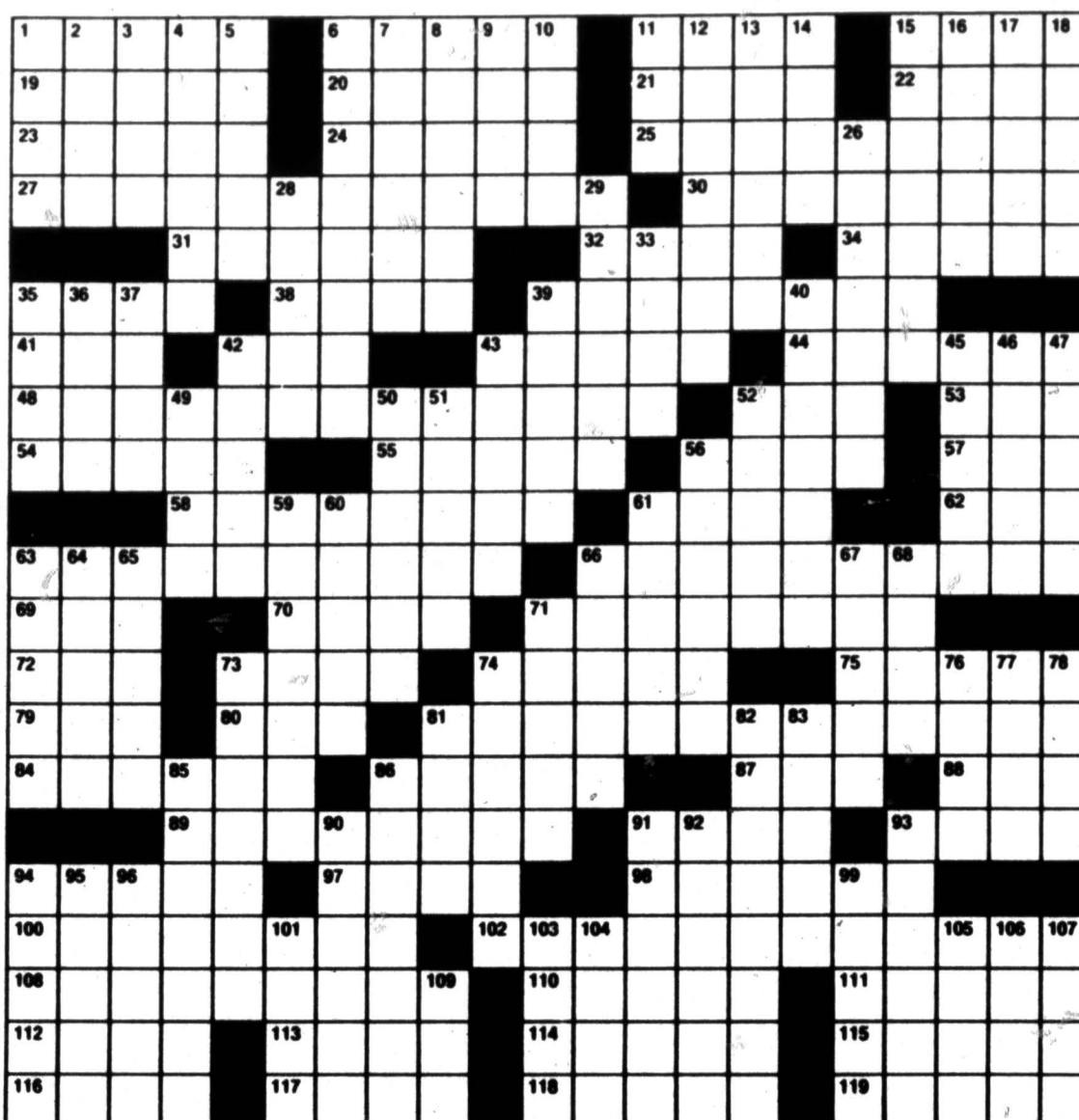
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There are ways to stop abuse

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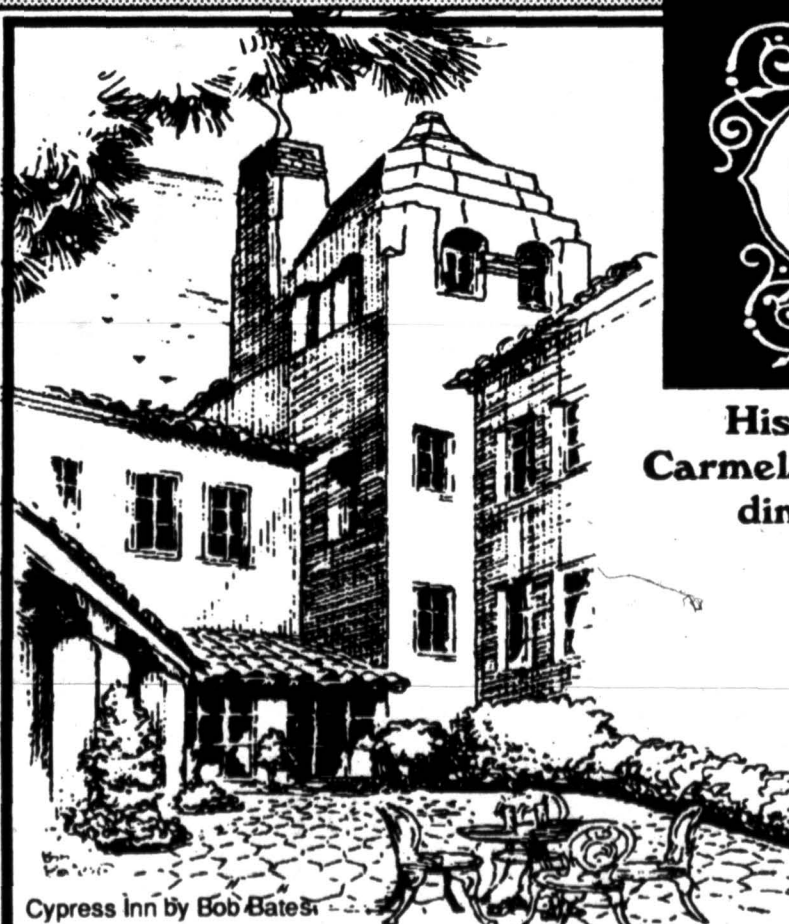
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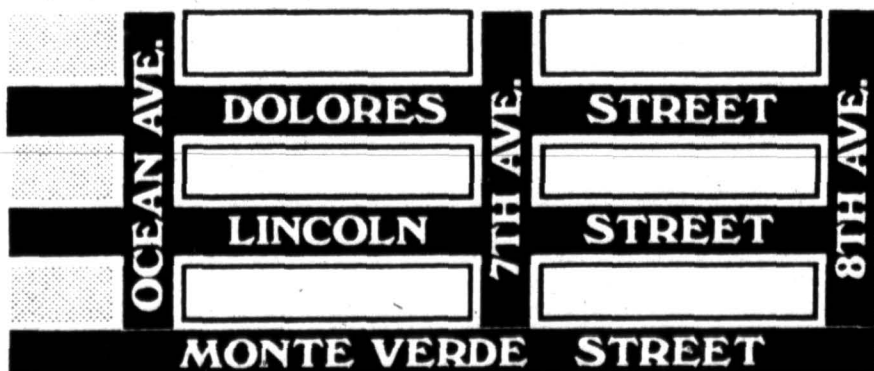


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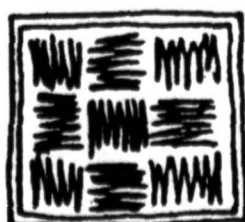
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Carmel Valley Manor: Paintings by All Saints' Episcopal Day School students, daily from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Hallway Gallery, 8545 Carmel Valley Rd., Carmel Valley. Through Dec. 31.

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Alvarado Lobby Gallery: Laurie Zeszut presents her colorful works on paper, Monday-Friday, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monterey Conference Center, Monterey. Through Jan. 3.

Monterey Bay Aquarium:

Fifteen of the world's 360 shark species are featured at the aquarium as part of the exhibition. Live sharks from around the world, life-like models and interactive activities help explore the myths and realities about this diverse group of fishes, Cannery Row, Monterey. Through Jan. 5.

The Photographic Center of the Monterey Peninsula: Annual Members' Exhibit featuring images by 45 photographers, Sunset Cultural Center, San Carlos and Ninth Streets, Carmel. Through Jan. 6.

Monterey Peninsula Museum of Art: Mexican Day of the Dead images by Susie Ketchum, Coburn Gallery, 559 Pacific St., Monterey. Through Jan. 6.

Monterey Peninsula Museum of Art: Seventh Juried Photographic Exhibition featuring 56 Photographic works by 45 artists, Upper Galleries, 559 Pacific St., Monterey. Through Jan. 6.

Claypoole-Freeze Gallery: Paintings and works on paper by member artists, 216 Grand Ave., Pacific Grove. Through Jan. 12.

Monterey Peninsula Museum of Art: "Indigo," a cross-cultural look at how indigo dyes is utilized, Asian Gallery, 559 Pacific St., Monterey. Through Jan. 13.

High-on-the-Hog Salon: Lele Dahle, poplar local artist and doll-maker, is presenting a preview of a future larger show, San Carlos between Fourth and Fifth Avenues, Carmel. Through Jan. 15.

Pacific Grove Art Center: The Monterey Peninsula Art Foundation's Sixth Annual Members Show, Gill, Dyke and Hall galleries, Watercolored Cyanotypes by Cheryl Trotter, Photography Gallery, 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. Through Jan. 17.

Monterey Peninsula Museum of Art: "If Pictures Could Talk," private collections of works by California painters, Work Gallery, 559 Pacific St., Monterey. Through Jan. 27.

LaPorte's Fine Art: Watercolor and oil works by Andres Morillo (student of Donald Teague N.A.), 716 Lighthouse Ave., Ste. A., Pacific Grove. Through Jan. 31.

Monterey Peninsula Museum of Art: Alan Shepp's slate sculptures on display, Work Gallery, 559 Pacific St., Monterey. Through Feb. 2.

Monterey Peninsula Museum of Art: Art from Argentina featuring Fernando Fazzolari, Marcelo Ferder, Eduardo Medici, Carlos Uria and Andres Weissman, Gallery IV, 559 Pacific St., Monterey. Through Feb. 16.

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The Camerata Singers, a select choir of 45 voices, open their program singing Mozart's motet "Miserere Domini, K. 222," described by a contemporary as having "all the qualities that modern music demands, good harmony, rich modulations ... and natural voice leading."

Featured soloists in the Christmas program are soprano Yolanda West, mezzo soprano Cathy Findley, tenor Gene Albin, and bass Reg Huston. They join with the Camerata Singers in Mozart's "Vesperae solennes de Dominica, K. 321," accompanied by organist Rebecca Nelson and a 22-piece orchestra.

This solo quartet is also featured in Mozart's "Coronation Mass in C Major, K. 317." This Mass is considered to be his finest mass for actual performance in a church and has created a tremendous impression on listeners who hear it in the Salzburg Cathedral as part of the midnight service on Christmas Eve.

Soprano Yolanda West, from Los Angeles,

has appeared as a soloist with the Strawberry Creek Festival and the Ventura County Symphony and has also made other appearances throughout Southern California and the Monterey Peninsula.

Mezzo Soprano Cathy Findley, who appeared with the Camerata Singers last season, has also sung for several seasons with the Carmel Bach Festival and is a music teacher in the Monterey school district.

Also appearing last season with the Camerata Singers, tenor Gene Albin, a graduate of the Eastman School of Music, is a noted recitalist and currently teaches in Santa Cruz.

Bass Reg Huston has performed

extensively in the Monterey Bay area for the past 15 years, including opera, oratorio, art song, musical theater, as well as previous appearances with the Camerata Singers.

Conductor Vahe Aslanian, founder of the Camerata Singers, is known for his music scholarship and for introducing unusual and rarely performed choral music of distinction. The group has been praised in their previous concerts for the scope of their programs and for music which is vibrant and rich.

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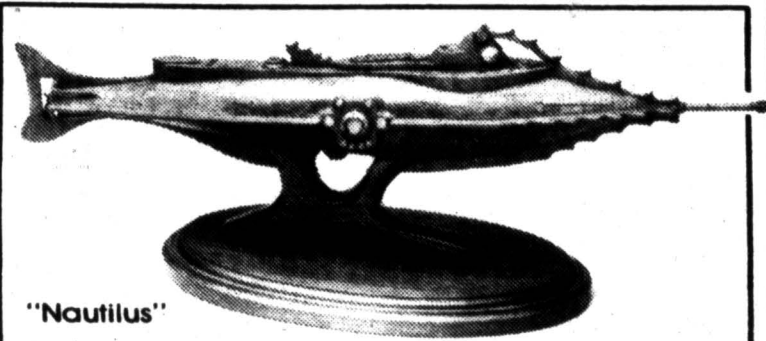
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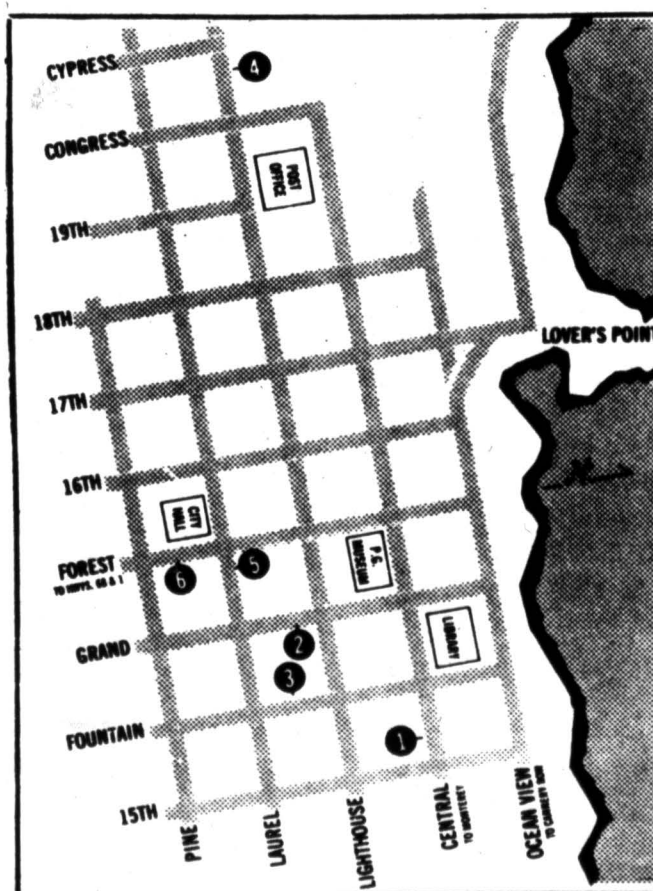
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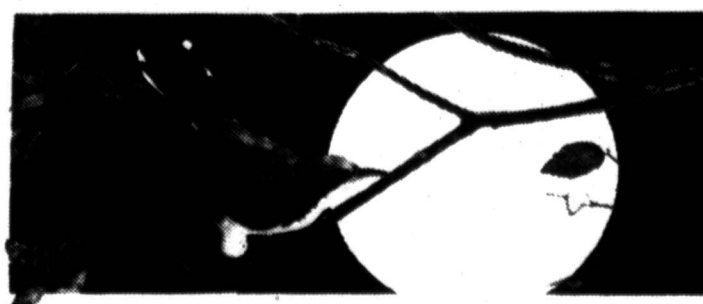
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Ad hoc committee's report not intended to be gospel, member says

By SUSAN BECK

DICK HEUER, a member of the Ad Hoc Monterey Regional Committee, spoke at the Carmel Valley Property Owners Association (CVPOA) meeting on Dec. 11 to set the record straight about the groups intent.

A local newspaper's account of the committee's working papers, studies that contained documentation of ideas, and nothing more, has stirred up a furor in the community, said Heuer.

The ideas were presented in the publication in such a way as to suggest secret policy-making behind closed doors by the ad hoc committee.

"The truth is, there is no conspiracy. There is no effort to force anything on anyone, but we are making an effort to get people discussing it," said Heuer.

The ad hoc committee was set up in February by the League of Women Voters Monterey Peninsula Chapter. Besides Heuer other committee members are Max Chaplin, Mike DeLapa, Janie Figen, Nancy Green, Zad Leavy, Jancie O'Brien, Joanne Ratcliffe, Wilber Smith and Jack Wickham.

The main purpose of the group is to address what they think is a genuine need for regional planning on the peninsula, said Heuer. The committee also suggest that a successful process to establish that type of planning would best be done by a citizens group.

"We felt that we've got enough government. We are exploring ways to get something done without setting up a new government body," said Heuer.

But before anything happens, he said, the committee feels strongly that a broad

community consensus about regional planning for the area is required. That consensus would include groups such as realtors, contractors, laborers, the transportation industry, and bankers.

Heuer said the committee has discussed their goals with representatives of the hospitality industry and about 60 people at Sam Karas' Breakfast Club. The ad hoc group also approached the Monterey County Board of Supervisors about their ideas. He said that the board indicated that they are on the right track.

Ileene Crane-Franks, a CVPOA board member, challenged Heuer about the committee's quiet demeanor.

"I'm on the league, and we've never seen this document. Now I've read it, and I see too many conclusions. It's too one-sided. You can't have fair representation without public input, and Sam Karas' Breakfast Club is not a public forum," said Crane-Franks.

Max Chaplin, board member, said that the committee virtually had no starting place.

"By its own nature, the major point of the exercise is to get people interested and come to meetings to review the problems. First, we had to sort out what we thought, then take it to the public for their ideas," said Chaplin.

CVPOA's president, Allan Sandstrum said that he sees the committee as a "strawman," for input, not to set policy.

"I think that something like this could not have evolved much differently than it did. It is not such a bad idea, starting ideas to get things going," said Sandstrum.

He said that now the subject is up for debate and that was the idea.



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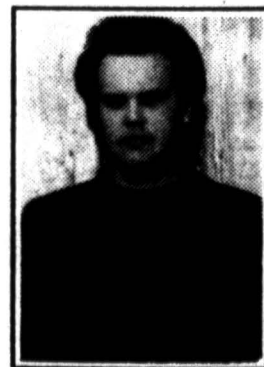
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THE CARMEL Youth Center is a drop-in center for middle school and high school students. It is located at the corner of Fourth Avenue and Torres Street. The Center is open during Christmas Break Monday-Saturday 12 to 8 p.m. and will be closed Christmas Eve, Christmas Day and New Year's Day.

The center offers a meeting place for students to enjoy ping pong, billiards, video games, snack bar and weight room. For more information or updates on weekly activities, please call 624-3285.

HOOP SHOOT/ HOTSHOT COMPETITION RESULTS

Carmel-by-the-Sea Recreation Department and Carmel Youth Center held their City Hoop Shoot and Hotshot Competition on Dec. 7th. Here are the results of these competitions.

Hotshot Competition

Boys 9-12 years old First: Colter Bissell 85 pt.
Second: Adam Struve 58 pt.
Third: Eric Struve 48 pt.
Fourth: Steven Moore 47 pt.
Fifth: Bahaddin Sadduk 37 pt.

Boys 13-15 years old First: Amir Masilyah 86 pt.
Second: Travis Kouns 80 pt.
Third: Mike Bruington 76 pt.
Fourth: Michael Yee 62 pt.
Fifth: Greg Johnson 50 pt.

Girls 13-15 years old First: Michaela Hill 56 pt.

Hoopshoot Competition

Boys 8-9 years old First: Tim Covington 2 pt.

Girls 12-13 years old First: Michaela Hill 7 pt.

Boys 10-11 years old First: Adam Mayfield 16 pt.

Boys 12-13 years old First: Michael Yee 15 pt.

Second: Erik Struve 8 pt.
Third: Stephen Moore 6 pt.
Fourth: Adam Struve 3 pt.
Sadduk 5 pt.

Second: Colter Bissell
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Fourth: Bahaddin

CHRISTMAS PARTY

Ho Ho Ho... Carmel Youth Center is Sponsoring a Christmas Party On Friday, Dec. 20th. The party is open to students in fourth and fifth-grade. The party begins at 7 p.m. and will conclude at 9 p.m. There will be D.J. Dancing, Video Games, Refreshments, Supervision,

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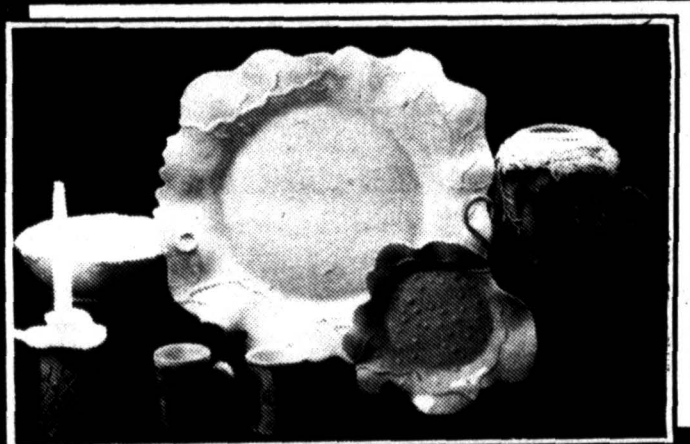


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Saturdays, and 2 p.m. Sundays. A shortened version for younger children, rated PG-6, will be presented at 2 p.m. matinees on Saturdays. The children's production runs 75 minutes. Parents are requested not to bring infants or toddlers to the performances.

Into the Woods will continue through Dec. 22, and resume Jan. 3 for a two-week run. There will be no performances Dec. 23 through Jan. 2.

Tickets are \$15 for general admission, \$11 for students/military and senior citizens, and \$7 for children under 12. Admission for the Saturday children's matinees are \$9 general and \$6 for children. A special \$1 children's ticket is available with each general admission ticket.

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ELLIS ALLBEE as The Mayor comforts Maria Lojkovic as Isabel in The Staff Players Repertory Company's production of Jean Giraudoux's fantasy *The Enchanted*, playing at 8 p.m. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Dec. 19-21 at the Indoor Forest Theater in Carmel. Set in a small French town near a lake, the play is a story about a ghost, a spirited young teacher, her precocious pupils and an assortment of very French bureaucrats. The production is directed by Marcia Gambrell Hovick. For reservations, call 624-1531.

The Enchanted

The Staff Players Repertory Company will honor the holidays with Jean Giraudoux' wonderful fantasy *The Enchanted*, directed by Marcia Gambrell Hovick. Set in a small French town near a lake, *The Enchanted* tells the tale of a ghost, a spirited young teacher, her precocious pupils and an assortment of very French bureaucrats.

The Enchanted opened Nov. 29, and will play Thursday, Friday, Saturday at 8 p.m. and Sundays at 2:30 p.m. through Dec. 21.

Members of Staff Players welcome seven girls from C.E.T. into the holiday production.

Jean Giraudoux, best known as the author of *The Madwoman of Chailott*, is wry, wise, and witty in his tale of a town jerked backward and forward between this world and the next. *The Enchanted* is a warm and joyful entertainment for the season.

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The cast includes Ellis Allbee as the mayor, Thomas R. Sanchez as the doctor, Jim Alter as the mild supervisor of weights and measures, Larry Earlix as the martinet of an inspector, Pamela Murphy and Nancy Lee Methenitis as the inquisitive Mangebois Sisters, Ivan Flansberg as an executioner, Maria Lojkovic as Isabel, and Donavan Dolan as the ghost. For reservations call Staff Players Repertory Company at 624-1531.

Annual Olio Revue

California's First Theatre continues its *Annual Olio Revue* at 8 p.m. Friday, Dec. 20 and Saturday, Dec. 21.

This production will be presented by **Troupers of the Gold Coast** (their 498th production) and will play Friday and Saturday nights through January 1992. The theater will be dark Dec. 27 and 28. A special New Year's Eve performance will be mounted. All shows are at 8 p.m.

The *Olio Revue* is an evening of variety with singing,

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Reservations can be made by calling 375-4916. The box office is open Wednesday through Saturday after 1 p.m. Admission is \$7 for adults, \$5.50 for seniors and teens and \$4.50 for 12 and under.

California's First Theatre is located at the corner of Pacific and Scott streets in Monterey.

A Christmas Carol

Unicorn Theater Presents will offer a special production of Charles Dickens' classic *A Christmas Carol* at the Wharf Theatre on Fisherman's Wharf in Monterey, 8 p.m. Thursday through Sunday, Dec. 19-22. (Thursday evening's performance is already sold out, however). There will be a special 6 p.m. performance on Sunday Dec. 22.

A Christmas Carol is directed by Carey Crockett and features Robert Coulter as Scrooge.

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Monterey Adobe Tours: Daily guided tours, Monterey State Historic Park: Larkin House, Cooper-Molera Adobe, Robert Louis Stevenson House, Casa Soberanes, Pacific House Museum and the Custom House, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.,

adults \$4, children \$2. Individual building tours fees, \$2 and \$1. Tours starts at the Cooper-Molera Adobe, corner of Polk, Munras and Alvarado Streets., Monterey. Phone 649-7118.

Farmer's Market: Local farmers' fresh fruits and vegetables, nursery stock, eggs, flowers, honey and other items, weekly, 2:30-6 p.m., Monterey Peninsula College parking lot, 980 Fremont St., Monterey.

Highlands Fire Department benefit: The Unicorn Theater presents, "A Christmas Carol," for the fourth year, Wharf Theater, Fisherman's Wharf, Monterey, 8 p.m., \$10. Phone 624-2374.

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downstairs, 620 Lighthouse Ave., PG, 8 p.m., \$5. Phone 373-7379.

Alliance on Aging: The Senior Outreach Luncheon program will be, "Dances from the Holy Land by pianist Bob Phillips, Pacific Grove Community Center, 515 Junipero Ave., PG, 11:30 a.m. Phone 646-4636.

Free video presentation: The "Right Human Relations," video show to celebrate the spirit of joy with human goodwill, 26384 Carmel Rancho Lane (near the Barnyard), Carmel, 7 p.m. Phone 649-6477.

A Christmas performance: Gian-Carlo Menotti's Amahl and the Night Visitors, First Presbyterian Church, 501 El Dorado, Monterey, 8 p.m. Phone 624-5550.

Holiday carols: Monte Vista Christian School choir, Monterey Plaza Hotel, Upstairs lobby, 400 Cannery Row, Monterey, 5-5:30 p.m. Phone 375-1747.

The Nutcracker: The Carmel Ballet Academy will perform the Christmas ballet at the academy, Mission and Eighth Streets, Carmel, 8 p.m., \$5. Phone 624-3729.

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Friday/20

Public tours of Tor House: Docent-led tours: Tor House, Hawk Tower and Poet Robinson Jeffers old world gardens, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Friday and Saturday, Ocean View Boulevard House, Carmel, adults \$5, college students \$3.50, high school students \$1.50, under 12 not permitted. Reservations required. Phone 624-1813.

International Film Series: "Fanny & Alexander," Monterey Institute of International Studies, McCone Building, 440 Van Buren, Monterey, 8:15 p.m. Phone 626-1730.

Children's stories in Spanish: A free service by the Spanish Language Institute of Carmel, weekly. Phone 624-0318.

Portofino Cafe: Tocara Latin jazz dance band. Pacific Grove Plaza and a Holiday Bazaar,

Saturday/21

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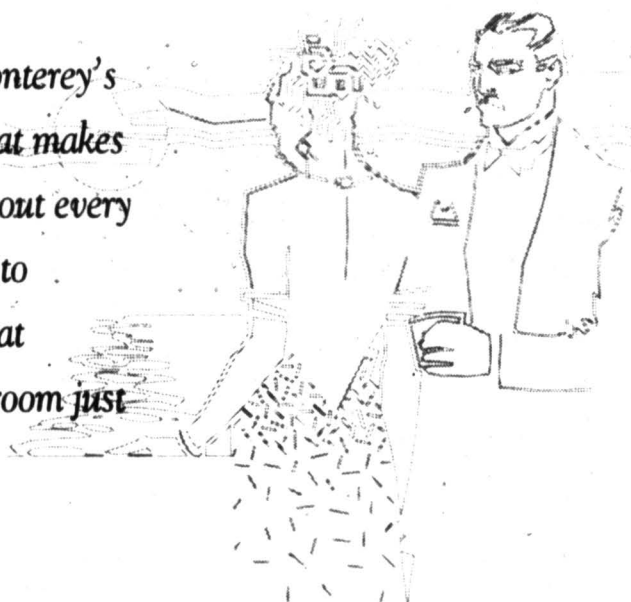
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Portofino Cafe: Alice Di Micele, eco-feminist folk artist, downstairs, 620 Lighthouse Ave., PG, 8 p.m. Phone 688-7104.

International Film Series: "Fanny & Alexander," Monterey Institute of International Studies, McCone Building, 440 Van Buren, Monterey, 8:15 p.m. Phone 626-1730. Phone 624-2522.

A Christmas performance: Gian-Carlo Menotti's Amahl and the Night Visitors, First Presbyterian Church, 501 El Dorado, Monterey, 8 p.m. Phone 624-5550.

Camerata Singers perform: The group from Monterey County under the direction of Vahe Aslanian will appear in an all Mozart concert, Carmel Mission Basilica, Rio Road, Carmel, \$12 adults, \$6 students. Phone 899-2200.

Free Christmas program: Christmas carols, special music, Bible story of Christmas on film, refreshments, and a message on, "Jesus Christ Who Came," by Dr. Rev. James Warnock, Salvation Army Chapel, 1491 Contra Costa St., Seaside, 1 p.m. Phone 394-2965.

Sing-Along with Santa: Everyone invited to join in the Christmas spirit, free songbooks and hot chocolate, Lover's Point, Pacific Grove, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Phone 649-5959.

Christmas Show: Independent artists preview, Gallery 17, 205 17th St., Pacific Grove, 2-4 p.m. Phone 372-4212.

Holidays at The Crossroads: The Monterey Brass Quintet, The Crossroads Shopping Center, Hwy 1 and Rio Road, Carmel, 1-3 p.m.

The Nutcracker: The Carmel Ballet Academy will perform the Christmas ballet at the

academy, Mission and Eighth Streets, Carmel, 8 p.m., \$5. Phone 624-3729.

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Sunday/22

Art tours: The Monterey Peninsula Museum of Art offers docent-led tours on the first and third Sundays of each month, 559 Pacific St., Monterey, 2 p.m. Phone 372-7591.

Portofino Cafe: Carry It Home, a folk concert, Pacific Grove Plaza, a Holiday Bazaar, AND Sunday Night Jazz, downstairs, 620 Lighthouse Ave., PG, 8 p.m., \$8. Phone 373-7379.

Holidays at The Crossroads: Alan Berman, pianist and singer, The Crossroads Shopping Center, Hwy 1 and Rio Road, Carmel, 1-4 p.m.

The Nutcracker: The Carmel Ballet Academy will perform the Christmas ballet at the academy, Mission and Eighth Streets, Carmel, 8 p.m., \$5. Phone 624-3729.

Kid's Christmas Fair: Bring the entire family for this exciting fun filled day, Monterey Conference Center, 1 Portola Plaza, Monterey, \$3.50 adults, \$2.50 children, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Christmas candlelight ceremony: Everyone is invited, refreshments will be served, American Legion Hall, Dolores and Eighth Streets, Carmel, 5-7 p.m.

Tea Dance: Ballroom dance music, free dance lessons, proceeds benefit the Blind and Visually Impaired Service Center of Monterey County, Doubletree Hotel, Monterey, 4 to 7:30 p.m., \$8. Phone 649-8235.

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Monday/23

Benefit for the homeless: A Christmas party for the homeless with a holiday meal and presents for everyone, Sacred Heart Church, West Market and Stone Streets, Salinas, 1-4 p.m. Phone 625-3345.


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Tuesday/24

Candlelight service: The Christian Church, 442 Central Ave., Pacific Grove, 6 p.m. Phone 372-0363.

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Music Corner

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The music of the season

HARK THE Herald Chorus are singing the music of the season and last Saturday night it was the turn of I Cantori di Carmel to be heard in the Carmel Mission Basilica.

Performing for an appreciative capacity audience, Dr. Sal Ferrantelli, his highly polished, disciplined choristers and the Monterey Bay Chamber Orchestra and Brass Ensemble gave a lively account of a rather eclectic assortment of sacred and what sounded like secular music for Christmas.

Interestingly enough, considering the large forces participating in the event, I found it most enjoyable and musically rewarding when the chorus performed a capella. It was then that one could truly appreciate the high quality of the work Ferrantelli and his dedicated group are capable of producing.

The "Ave Maria" of the 20th century composer Franz Biebl which opened the second half of the program was a particularly noteworthy accomplishment. Set mainly for male voices, it had a fine, mellow fullness and atmosphere, even when lightly spiced with dissonances. The gently sensitive singing of the expressive and appealing music was very well done. The carefully molded swelling crescendos sounded sympathetic and properly proportioned for the acoustic properties of the Mission. It was a gemlike account.

The two Spanish Renaissance Villancico Christmas carols which followed were sung by the full chorus with baritones Enrique Alvarez and Kurt Cocking as the very enjoyable soloists. This is absolutely delightful music, made even more so by the pleasant voices and the finely honed responses of the chorus. The rhythmic charm and the balanced dynamics made for a lively, spirited performance which also fit the surroundings most appropriately.

William Zeidler's "Where is He?" a choral piece with organ and celeste accompaniment, was composed specially for I Cantori who gave it its premiere performance. Here too, with the knowledgeable employment of the accompanying instruments, one was able to appreciate the well focussed choral performance. Certainly this colorful, flavorful music will be an appealing addition to the repertoire.

The two endeavors using orchestral accompaniments tended to do the I Cantori singers a

disservice. The program opening Bach "Magnificat," which is a joyous, exuberant work, radiates a mood of happy optimism. Its 12 brief sections call for four vocal soloists and a full orchestra, with two each of virtuoso flutist, oboists and trumpets, all of which were present and in good order. It began brilliantly and crisply, but between the shrill trumpet-call tone and the strong instrumental forces, the chorus was frequently overpowered.

Things went best in the quieter moments when the choral balance was controlled and the voices were in proper relationships with each other. In the solo arias, soprano Carmen Martin sang with conviction. Mezzo soprano Linda Purdy was stylistically apt, but sounded subdued. Tenor Gregory Le Cleir showed much progress from last year and bassbaritone Reg Huston projected with dignity.

The concert concluded with the "Gloria" for chorus, organ, brass ensemble and percussion by the contemporary English composer John Rutter, making it the third century work on the program. It began with drum rolls and brass fanfares and continued energetically and noisily. There were mighty climaxes from the nine-member brass ensemble, the organ and the percussionists, while the chorus lustily traversed its highly demanding music with strong, reverberating tones.

The "Domine Deus" was much more reserved and made fine use of the women's voices before building to a no-holds-barred crescendoed climax which was followed by a "Miserere" of sincere, reflective quality. The "Quoniam" was rhythmically driven and very difficult to perform. Its blasting zenith found the chorus in excellent form with a large volume of sound. The final "Amen" section was a far cry from Bach.

I don't particularly admire this type of frankly derivative and superficial writing which strongly echoes its betters, but it certainly gets results, stimulating an audience to applaud loud and long and into, leaving the hall on a high note emotionally.

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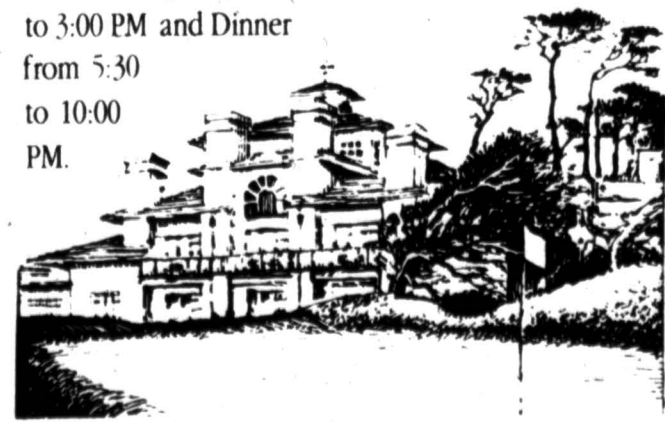
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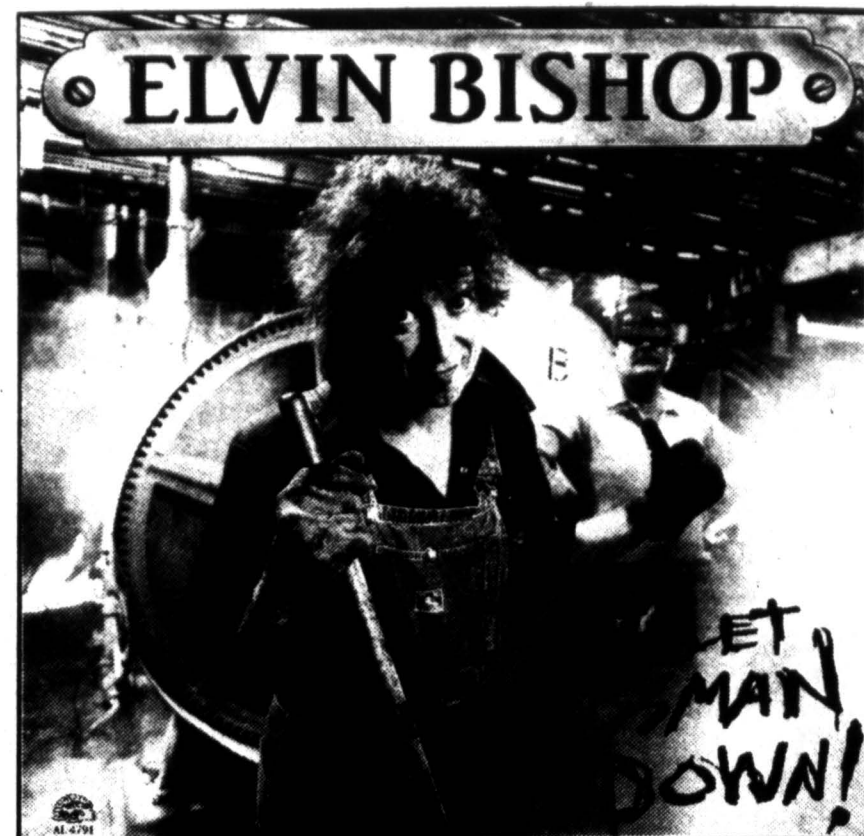
A blues Christmas

I STILL can't believe we're less than a week away from Christmas; I'm still trying to decide what I'm going to wear for Halloween.

Needless to say I haven't done my Christmas shopping yet, but if you've got some blues/roots music fans on your Christmas list (and everyone should have at least one), here are a few choice recordings that were released in 1991 that will be sure to tickle their fancy and warm the cockles of their heart. But enough foreplay, here they are (in no particular order):

Stevie Ray Vaughn/The Sky is Crying (Epic): The late blues guitar whiz Vaughn has put out several

great recordings, but this posthumous compilation may be his best yet. It's a tribute to his brother Jimmy (a great blues guitarist in his own right and the compiler on this disk), and the wealth of recorded material in the proverbial vaults, that such an excellent product could result. In this 10-song compilation Vaughn manages to not only pay tribute to some of his inspirations and guitar heroes, but to put his own unique stamp on the music. He breathes new life into such tunes as Elmore James' *The Sky is Crying*, Lonnie Mack's classic *Wham*, Howlin' Wolf's *May I Have a Talk With You*, Willie Dixon's *Close to You*, jazz great Kenny Burrell's *Chitlins Con Carne*, and a searingly emotional version of Jimi Hendrix' *Little Wing*. There is some irony in the fact that *Little Wing* is one of the best cuts on this disk, from another artist whose catalog has been plundered

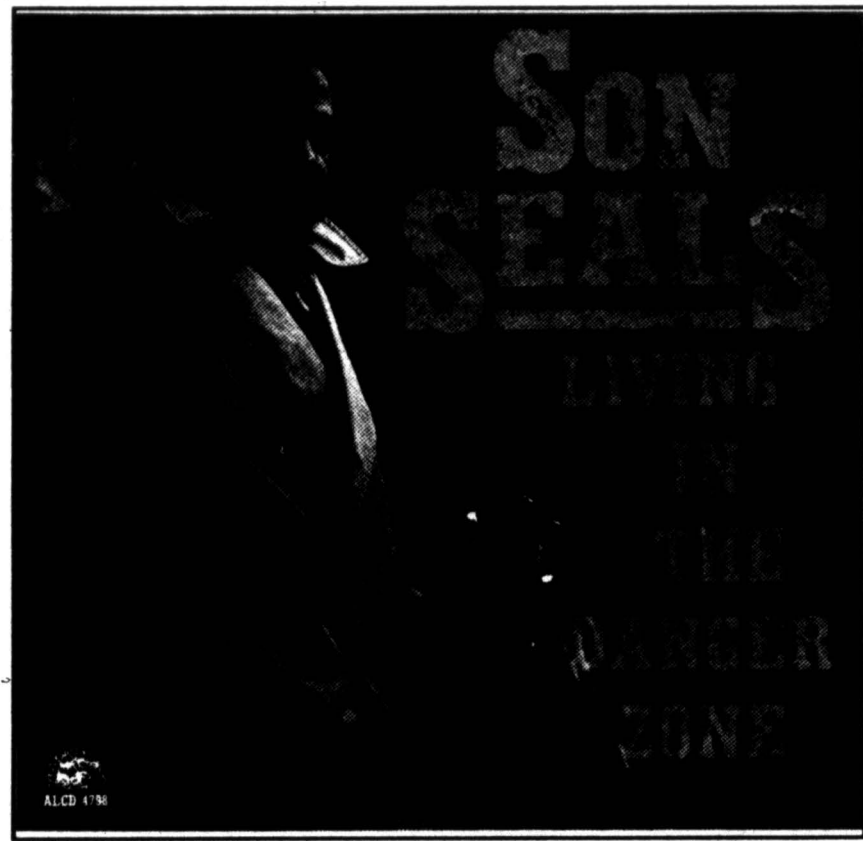


as well known as some of his contemporaries, but he's been putting out some fine blues releases the past several years, five others for the Chicago-based Alligator label. This is what the blues is all about.

Elvin Bishop/Don't Let the Boss Man Get You Down (Alligator): Speaking of the boogie-down/party-hearty blues, Bishop may be the prime practitioner of this art form. Ever since he split from the Paul Butterfield Blues Band and created his own persona in the form of Pigboy Crabshaw, Elvin has been partying without let-up, even to the point of garnering a Top 10 hit (with former Starship vocalist Mickey Thomas on *Fooled Around and Fell in Love*). That record was just an aberration, however (just too damn nice), and the Pigboy is back with his brand of contemporary country blues boogie on cuts like *Fannie Mae*, *My Whiskey Head Buddies*, *You Got to Rock 'Em, Rollin' With My Blues* and *Devil's Slide*. While Bishop still can't sing worth a lick (he does have an endearing cracked voice charm, however), he sure can do some talking on his guitar, which he plays with great abandon. This is just one plain fun record from start to finish. Elvin, by the way, will be playing The Catalyst in Santa Cruz for New Year's Eve. Can't think of a better way than to wind down 1991 and blast into '92.

That's all the room I have for today, but tune in next week for some more suggestions.

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and sullied with cheap knock-offs and compilations. The legend of Stevie Ray Vaughn and the extent of his own influence continues to grow. This disk is certainly on my Top 10 blues list for 1991.

Son Seals/Living in the Danger Zone (Alligator): Talk about the blues, Son Seals has got 'em. This isn't your typical boogie-down/party-hearty blues disk, but one filled with the pain and heartbreak of the real blues, the Recession blues, the turn-up-your collar against the cold, harsh wind blues, the *Last Four Nickels* blues. Guuitarist/vocalist Seals may not be

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UPCOMING EVENTS with a musical bent on the Monterey Peninsula and outlying areas:

• Doc Ricketts' Lab on Cannery Row has a lineup of local bands slated to play out the rest of the year: The Young Presidents' CD release party Dec. 18; The Cubes Dec. 19; Backtrax Dec. 20-21; and Mick & the Maniacs Dec. 22. The club will be closed Dec. 23-25 and will reopen Dec. 26 through 28 with Backtrax. To round out the month, Rock & Roll Rodeo plays Dec. 29, Lovers and Strangers hits the clubs again after a brief hiatus Dec. 30 and The Cubes play New Year's Eve.

Info on all shows can be had by calling 649-4241.

• Jonah and the Whale Watchers continue to play the Monterey Brewing Company every Wednesday. They'll also be playing Shanty Malone's Friday, Dec. 13. If you like roots raga-reggae, these are the places to be every Wednesday and Friday night. Call 375-3634 for info.

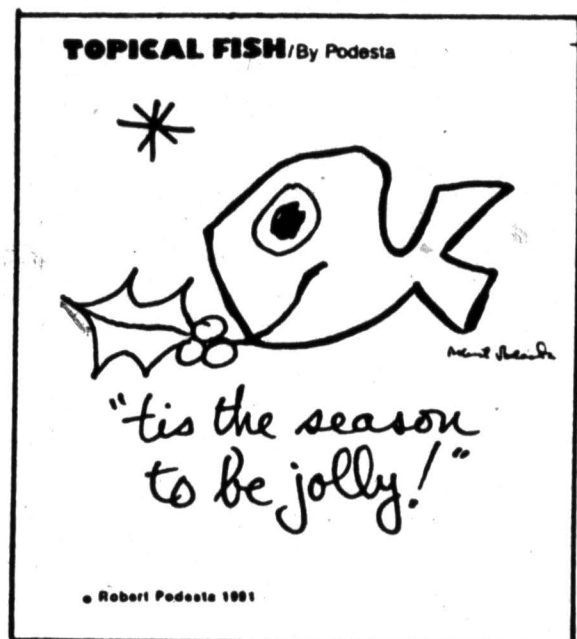
• Upcoming shows at The Catalyst in Santa Cruz include: The Knitters (Dec. 18), Santa Cruz Steel (Dec. 19), Charlie Musselwhite and Nortop Buffalo in a harmonica blowout (Dec. 20), Pixies and Pere Ubu (Dec. 21), Chris Cain Band (Dec. 26), Psychefunkapus (Dec. 27), Taj Mahal and Band (Dec. 28), Bela Fleck and the Flecktones (Dec. 29), and Elvin Bishop for New Year's Eve.

Tickets are available at all BASS/TM outlets (including Lighthouse Avenue in New Monterey and The Crossroads). Info for Catalyst shows can be had by calling 423-1336. The Catalyst is located at 1011 Pacific Ave. in

downtown Santa Cruz.

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ROCK GROUP The Beat Farmers had to cancel their gig at The Catalyst in Santa Cruz because of an unfortunate incident in Chico. Seems the band was accosted by a group of toughs and were beaten to a pulp. Only one member of the four-piece band escaped unscathed; he was at the hotel room. They will return sometime in January, according to KPIG radio, which had an interview with band members a day after the attack. And they call Chico a party town? Blanket party maybe.



Reading of classic 'Amahl' to be presented Dec. 20-21

Gian-Carlo Menotti's Christmas masterpiece, *Amahl and the Night Visitors* is being presented at the First Presbyterian Church of Monterey, on Friday, Dec. 20 and Saturday, Dec. 21.

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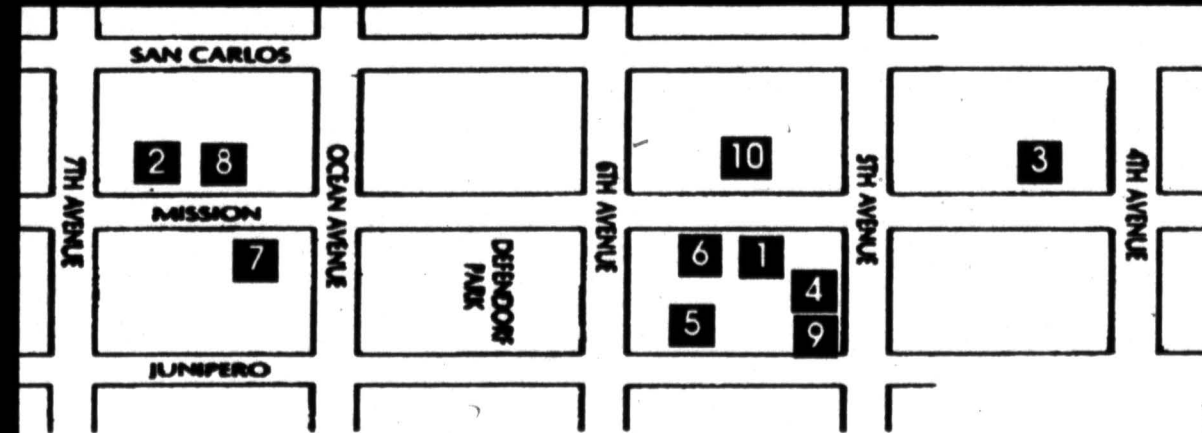
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Book Bag

By John Detro

What's in a name?

THE GREAT Charlie Chaplin loved John Steinbeck's novels. He often drove all over this county, matching up actual sites and written descriptions.

Well, Chaplin could have used Donald Thomas Clark's *Monterey County Place Names* to excellent advantage. (See ad copy below for details on how the title may be obtained.) I have the 737-page paperback from Kestrel Press — and so far the wonders therein seem deep and endless.

Donald Thomas Clark? Merely the University Librarian Emeritus at UC/Santa Cruz. And a dedicated researcher who wouldn't believe those who warned him that the project was too large for any one person.

"When Don Clark told me that he was going to write a book on the place names of Monterey County," historian Sandy Lydon confesses via the foreword, "it was all I could do to keep from laughing aloud...I was very skeptical...Monterey County is huge...sprawling across 3,324 square miles." Then: "I underestimated Don Clark's tenacity and resolve."

The descriptions herein contain not only hard data

but also literary flair, shining wit, a real appreciation for those who went before us. In fact, Clark's work reflects the spirit of those pioneers — hardy, clear, valuable over the long run.

Abalone Creek? Bottchers Gap? Carmelito? Estrada? Last Chance Camp? Paradise Park? They're all here — along with Pozo Hondo Creek, Roberts Oak, Sargent Camp, Circle of Enchantment, Twin Bridges, Welch Ridge, on and on. The richness seems almost dizzying. I know that this volume will sit close to hand for years — it's perfect when one's imagination needs a jolt.

Lydon says the book's maker "wades into some of the county's most heated debates and umpires them into winners and losers. For Clark, accuracy always wins out over diplomacy."

For example, Clark confirms that the 1889 post office was on the coast near Point Lobos rather than up in Carmel Valley where the facility's centennial was celebrated. "Meanwhile the Hatfields and McCoys, the contending Carmel historians, continue to fire letters back and forth in the pages of the local newspapers. Clark will now have to watch his back when he ventures into Carmel Valley."

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CURRENT GUIDEBOOKS say The Big Apple has its rotten spots. From the Birnbaum 1992 advisory: "Times Square is always crowded. The quality of the crowds, however, leaves much to be desired. Times Square is mainly the hangout of drug pushers, pimps, hookers, junkies, religious fanatics and assorted street peddlars attempting to fence stolen goods."

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Theater Review

By James P. Kinney

An existential fairy tale

PUT SIMPLY, the production of the 1987 fantasy musical, *Into The Woods*, which opened this past weekend on the MPC Main Stage, is a local theatrical masterpiece.

It is, in my opinion, an existential masterpiece as well. Directed by Sid Cato, designed by Dennis Howes, with musical direction by Barney Hulse and costumes designed by Constance Gamliere, the show not only appeals in color and sound to the Child in all of us; significantly — especially in its brilliant Act II — it nurtures the Adult spiritually and emotionally as well.

Stephen Sondheim and James Lapine have taken the familiar fairy tales of Cinderella, Jack and the Beanstalk, Little Red Ridinghood and The Baker and His Wife and mixed them together in new, surprising ways that give richer insights and deeper resonances to those well-worn, time-honored stories.

We Americans are both addicted to and shaped by our own cultural fairy tales. I do not mean the ones just mentioned compiled by the Brothers Grimm who were, of course, German. The uniquely American tales I have in mind, though never properly titled might have been called: John Wayne and the Japs, Tricky Dick and the Commies, Ollie The Dragon-Slayer, and — to be totally up-to-date — The Bad, Yukky Duke.

Producers of this production, perceptively, have scheduled shortened versions at 2 p.m. Saturday afternoons for children, staging only Act I of what is a two-act musical. It might be argued that adolescent adults (and maybe even a critic or two!) addicted to happy endings should be invited to these showings, sparing them the darker, harder vision that pervades Act II.

A perky 4-year-old sitting in the row in front of us did just that. After laughing with Jack and his cow, cheering for Little Red and cringing from the Wolf in Act I, she came back with her parents after intermission, excused herself and promptly fell asleep in her father's arms. Smart kid!

Because, in Act II, real life rears its confusing, infuriating head. Things do not go smoothly for the Baker and his Wife. The Prince cheats on Cinderella. The cow dies. One damn thing after another. Just like in real life.

"Told a little lie/ Stole a little gold/ Broke a little vow, did you?" cackles the witch. Suddenly the familiar Act I characters appear smaller, more confused, more vulnerable. Another giant must be confronted. It's Santa Cruz after the earthquake, the Lakers after Magic, Eden after the Fall.

But where these same writers attempted to do this kind of thing in *Sunday in the Park*, none too successfully in my opinion, they succeed brilliantly here.

"I heard giants never strike the same house twice," the Baker whispers hopefully.

"You heard wrong," bites back the witch acidly. "I was raised to be charming, not sincere," the Prince says, plaintively trying to defend his infidelities to Cinderella. Definitely not your basic kid stuff. The biggest secret we adults attempt to keep from our kids, almost always unsuccessfully, is how tough and confusing life really is, how frightened and mistaken we big people are so much of the time.

"We disappoint. We leave a mess. We die but we don't," the Mysterious Man tells the Baker. And the Woods become our testing ground, not necessarily the place we want to live, but the place where we can learn life's hard lessons. A divorce. A child's death. A close friend's breakdown or suicide. AIDS. The stuff of day-to-day living.

It is a dark vision, like the Existential one offered by Albert Camus, one of my favorite modern minds. But it is not a bleak one. There is still room for Love. For Friendship. For Humor. And, most of all — as the authors make clear — for Healing. "Into the Woods you go again/ You have to every now and then/ Into the woods no telling when/ Be ready for the journey."

Some call that moralizing. I call it reminding. It is also good theater. Sophocles did it. Shakespeare (no hyphen, please). D. H. Lawrence did it. Bombarded by the real world's triviality and chicanery — remember Big Daddy's warnings about that "sea of mendacity"? — we need to be reminded often and clearly, as we are here by Sondheim and Lapine, what the dangers and challenges of real living are and what tools we have to surmount them.

"Into the Woods you have to grope/ But that's the way you learn to cope/ Into the woods to find there's hope/ Of getting through the journey."

Space limits my mentioning each individual member of the large, wonderful cast, but I must acknowledge some outstanding performances.

Barney Hulse and his 10-musician orchestra in the pit were exceptional in their support of the singers onstage with the handling of the tricky, difficult Sondheim music.

Harrison Shields was brilliantly crisp and clear-voiced as the very essential Narrator. Maryann

Schaupp delivered an endearing, wonderfully human Baker's Wife, and was equally balanced to her foil, Laura Akard, the exasperating, irritating, always captivating Witch. Kerry Hartjen was a thoroughly empathetic Baker, his Act II scene with Shields' Mysterious Man the evening's highlight for me. David McMillen was a wonderfully dense, lovable Jack. Lynda Hearn sparkled as Little Red. There was simply not a weak performance onstage anywhere.

Into the Woods plays Fridays and Saturdays at 8 and Sundays at 2 through Dec. 23rd, breaks for the Christmas Holidays, then resumes for two more weeks starting Jan. 3, 1992. Be warned, Procrastinators, this show will probably sell out early.

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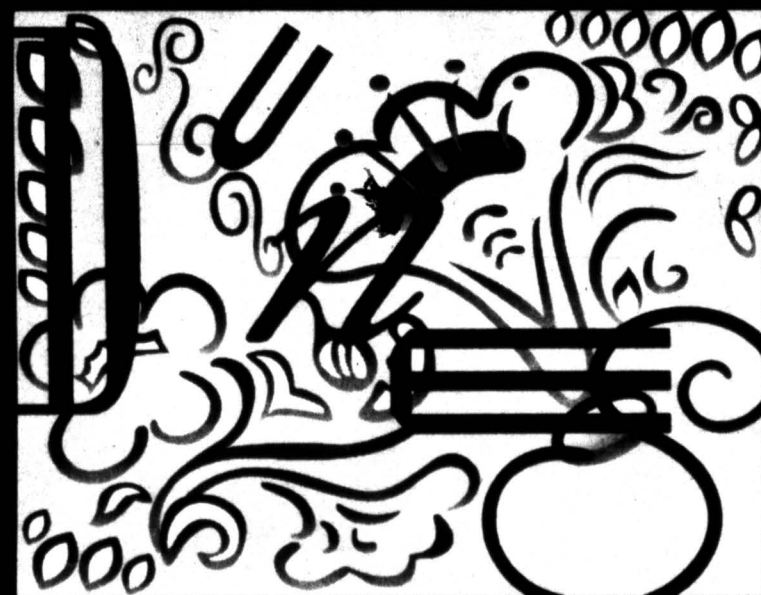
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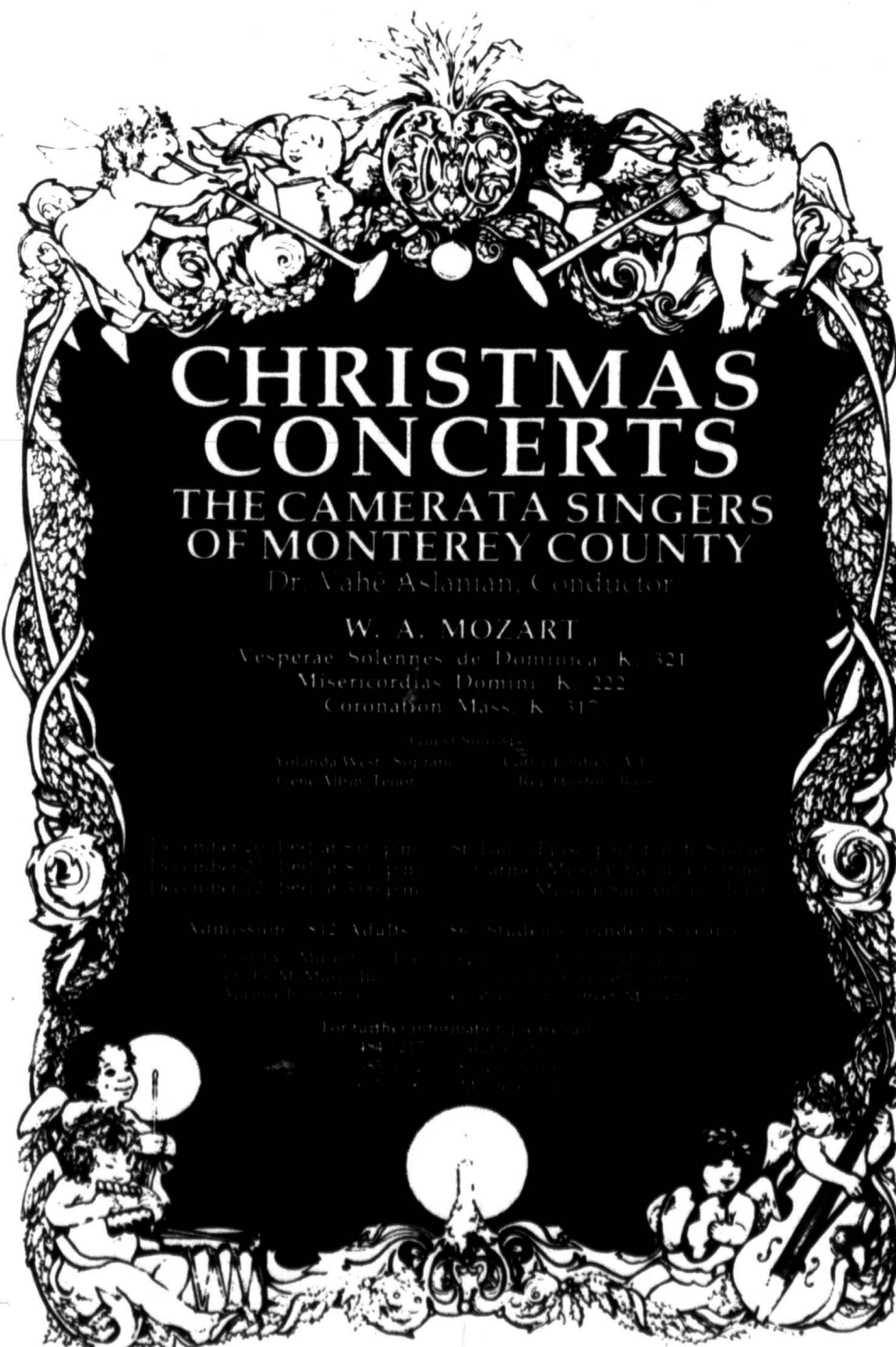
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Jazz Tides

By John Detro

Jazz jams

VENUE OWNER Anthony Bindell of Monterey Brewing Company puts out a call. He asks jazz musicians hereabouts to help him get started on Saturday afternoon jam sessions.

"With our nation's economy the way it is," Anthony told this writer, "people aren't going out as much. Alcohol consumption's down. Maybe clubowners can't shoulder all the burden. I hope that musicians will start looking at how they might help keep the art form alive."

The jams would start at noon Saturday and roll on indefinitely. All interested parties may call Anthony at 375-3634. The spot's address: 638 Wave Street...right above Cannery Row.

"We'll put out the donations bowl," he adds, "the same way we do for the Sunday afternoon blues jams. Players can split whatever patrons put in there. As a former airline pilot, I know Montreux (Jazz Festival). Monterey's another Montreux, but we don't use our clout. Let's figure out how to get more things happening on a regular basis."

KELLY LEONARD of Doc Ricketts' Lab turned loose reedman/booker John Cortes. John has created a valuable Sunday Afternoon Jazz Series (no cover). Now Cortes announces these additional guest artists: popular local flutist Kenny Stahl (12/29), strong trumpet man and flugelhornist Brian Stock (1/5), return engagement for Oscar Williams who played trumpet and flugelhorn with Art Blakey (1/12), mellow vocalist Lee Durley (1/19).

Cortes fronts the Sunday afternoon house quartet. Then his bright rhythm section plays behind the day's imported talent. These gigs run from two o'clock till six.

IT'S OVER — the Monday night run of Monterey Peninsula Jazz Orchestra at Carmel Mission Inn. MPJO Administrator Eric Tonn says he'll take a break before seeking another showcase.

"I think we'll be back the end of January or the first part of February," Eric says. "Right now, I'm tired. We've done 161 performances in three years — concerts, workshops, (public school) clinics, Monday night dates. That's a pretty good track record. And we'll keep going."

Eric says he told MPJO players they "should feel free to join Monterey Jazz Orchestra," another volunteer aggregation which works Monday nights at Monterey Bay Club. "All the regulars said they'd return to MPJO when we had our next room."

THE NEW Year's Eve package announced by Highlands Inn includes alto saxist John Handy with Class (four young ladies who sing and play jazz violins). Hired by John for that occasion, bassist Bryan McConnell says the great percussionist Babatunde will be on the gig. There's a champagne dinner price or dancing only. Call 624-3801.

FUTURE FILE: The Fridays at Eight Series of Hidden Valley Music Seminars continues its refreshing ways. Like so: Claudia Gomez Quintet (1/10), Dave Frishberg (1/17), Steve Erquiaga Quintet (1/24), Carlos Barbosa-Lima and his guitar (2/7).

And after the annual holiday break always taken by Kuumbwa Jazz Center of Santa Cruz: Kenny Kirkland Band (1/13), Astrud Gilberto (1/20), Elvin Jones Jazz Machine (1/27), Hugh Masekela (2/3), Roy Hargrove (2/24).

Yoshi's in Oakland has great jazz guitarists signed during January. Jim Hall's group (1/15-18) will be followed by the Joe Pass Quartet (1/29-2/1). Joe's "tribute to Django Reinhardt" will be recorded live for a future album.



TEE TIME—Superb pianist Tee Carson fronts a trio on Dec. 26 in the Dunes Dinner Jazz Series at Spanish Bay. He's Monterey Jazz Festival house pianist and a Basie Orchestra veteran. No cover charge with dinner; Pebble Beach Gate fee waived. Reservations: 647-7423.

NAMES: When Jay Leno takes over Johnny Carson's late night TV show in May, Branford Marsalis likely will be named musical director. So say media insiders. Moreover, Leno will work without a professional sidekick (like Carson's Ed McMahon). He's expected to use Brandford as sounding board and stable second voice.

Phillippe Kahn's a better than fair jazz reedman with one bright CD to his credit thus far. He also heads up Borland International, the \$226 million software company in Scotts Valley.

PC magazine has named Kahn its Man of the Year for "aggressive marketing strategies and his charis-

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Creative process in children's art explored in MPC class

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Using a child-centered approach to art, the course explains and demonstrates how children use art to communicate and how adults can interpret their art. The creative stages of development, as shown through children's art, are explained from the scribbling stage of 2-year-olds through adolescence.

Constance Gamiere, instructor for the course, has a Master's degree in art education and more than 25 years experience. She was the graduate assistant to Dr. John Michael, author of the textbook used in the class.

Creative Process in Children's Art, Art 217, will meet in Room A-8 of the MPC Art Building from 6 to 10 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays, Jan. 7-30. Students may earn two units of credit transferable to California State Uni-

versity and University of California systems.

In-person registration continues through Jan. 7 in the Admissions and Records Office at Monterey Peninsula College. For information, call the MPC Creative Arts Division at 646-4200, or Admissions and Records at 646-4002.

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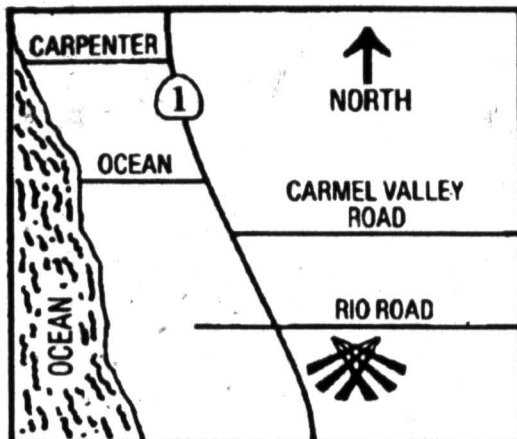
Jazz Tides

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matic personality." Philippe studied jazz arts with longtime area player Paul Contos.

Composer and singer Reuben Blades has applied to his native Panama's electoral tribunal for the formation of a new political party. Many analysts believe he'll run for president there in 1994. The proposed party's name — Madre Patria (Mother Country).

THIS WORD from KUSP-FM Public Radio — one Sunday Night Special in January (1/19) will consist of 1991 Monterey Jazz Festival highlights. Performances by Dizzy Gillespie, Modern Jazz Quartet, Scott Hamilton, Phil Woods, Shorty Rogers, Jon Hendricks, Chick Corea, Basie Orchestra, Dianne Schuur, Paquito D'Rivera (with monster percussionist Giovanni Hidalgo), Charles Brown, Ruth Brown, Carol Sloane. The two-hour show will start at nine o'clock.



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On January 8, 1992, at 10:00 a.m., COAST FED SERVICES, a corporation, formerly CFS Service Corporation, a California Corporation, as duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of Trust recorded May 31, 1991 as Instrument No. 31244 Book 2650 Page 386, of Official Records, executed by: WILLIAM D. BONHAM, a married man as trustor (s), in the office of the County Recorder of MONTEREY, County, California, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash, a cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a state of federal credit union, or a state of federal savings and loan association domiciled in the state of California (payable at time of sale in lawful money of the United States) AT THE CHURCH STREET ENTRANCE to the County Courthouse, 240 Church Street, Salinas, California all right, title and interest conveyed to an now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and state described as:

Parcel I:
Lot 12, as said lot is shown on the subdivision map of high meadow II subdivision ("Map"), recorded March 11, 1986, in volume 15, of cities and towns, at page 81, official records of Monterey County, California.

Parcel II:
A non-exclusive easement appurtenant to said lot, for the purposes of ingress and egress to said lot and for utility purposes. The easement is located on, over and under all portions of the private roadways and the pedestrian path, as said areas are described in the declaration of covenants, conditions and restrictions of High Meadow Pines homeowners association ("Declaration"), as amended by the certificate of first amendment to declaration of covenants, conditions and restrictions of High Meadow Pines homeowners Association ("First Amendment"). The declaration was recorded on December 5, 1986 in reel 2033, at page 459, official records of Monterey county, California. The first amendment was recorded on January 15, 1987, in reel 2051 at page 168, official records of Monterey County, California, said easement shall be used in accordance with the provisions of the declaration.

Parcel III:
A non-exclusive easement appurtenant to said lot, for the purposes of (1) constructing, maintaining, repairing and replacing a driveway to provide access to said lot, (2) installing and maintaining landscaping and (3) similar purposes consistent with the residential character of the neighborhood, the easement is located on, over and under certain portions of the greenbelt areas, as said areas are described in the declaration, which are contiguous to the lot conveyed herein and are more particularly described in the declaration, the location of the driveway and the uses of the easements and greenbelt area shall be subject to the provisions of the declaration and to the approval of the High Meadow Pines homeowners Association of its successor or assigns.

The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 3625 Eastfield Rd., Carmel, Ca. 93923.

The undersigned trustee disclaims any liability for an incorrect information furnished.
Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, or as to insurability of title to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by said Deed of Trust, with interest thereon, as provided in said note(s), advances, if any, under the terms of said Deed of Trust, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, for the amount reasonably estimated to be: \$613,793.24.

The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located. Name, Street Address, and Telephone Number of Trustee or person conducting sale is Coast Fed Services 16861 Parthenia St., Sepulveda,

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(s) Marilyn Montaperto, Asst. Vice President

Publication dates: Dec. 19, 26, 1991, Jan. 2, 1992

(PC1208)

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF MONTEREY In the Matter of the Application of DARREN JAMES GOUGE Petitioner, for change of name.

CASE NO. M23776
Order to show cause
(C.C.P. #1277)

WHEREAS DARREN JAMES GOUGE, petitioner, has filed a petition with the clerk of this court for a decree changing petitioner's name from DARREN JAMES GOUGE to DARREN JAMES MCBAIN.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above matter appear in Department A of this court, located at 1200 Agujito Road, Monterey, California, on January 3, 1992 at 9:30 a.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, and show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this order to show cause be published in CARMEL PINE CONE, a newspaper of general circulation printed in Monterey County, California, once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing on the petition.

Dated: Dec. 2, 1991
Publication dates: Dec. 5, 12, 19, 26, 1991.

(s) John M. Phillips
Judge of the Superior Court
(PC1202)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. F912004

The following persons is doing business as:

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This business is conducted by a general partnership.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11/1/91.

/s/ Tsar F. Mulvana
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Dec. 5, 1991.

Publication Dates: Dec. 19, 26, 1991, Jan. 2, 9, 1992.
(PC1211)

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The following persons is doing business as:

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This business is conducted by a corporation.

/s/ Alexander E. Perriello
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Nov. 26, 1991.

Publication Dates: Dec. 19, 26, 1991, Jan. 2, 9, 1992.
(PC1206)

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/s/ Greg Simmons, Treasure
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Dec. 2, 1991.

Publication Dates: Dec. 19, 26, 1991, Jan. 2, 9, 1992.
(PC1210)

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/s/ Gaston Georis
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(PC1209)

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Frederick Brogger Campbell, 473 W. Carmel Valley Road, Carmel Valley, 93924.

Betsy Shea Campbell, 473 W. Carmel Valley Road, Carmel Valley, 93924.

This business is conducted by a husband and wife.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Oct. 1991.

/s/ Frederick Brogger Campbell
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Nov. 20, 1991.

Publication Dates: Nov. 28, Dec. 5, 12, 19, 1991.
(PC1108)

Answer to last weeks Crossword Puzzle

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. F912053

The following persons is doing business as:

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Daniel George Beals, 1010 Pacific Grove Ln., #2, Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 12/2/91.

/s/ Daniel G. Beals
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Dec. 11, 1991.

Publication Dates: Dec. 19, 26, 1991, Jan. 2, 9, 1992.
(PC1204)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. F911901

The following persons is doing business as:

Warren Petroleum Company, Chevron U.S.A. Production Company, Chevron U.S.A. Products Company, 201 John Street, Salinas, Ca. 93901.

Chevron U.S.A. Inc. (Pennsylvania Domestic) 225 Bush Street, San Francisco, CA 94104.

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Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/1/92.

/s/ H.P. Walker
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Nov. 18, 1991.

Publication Dates: Dec. 19, 26, 1991, Jan. 2, 9, 1992.
(PC1205)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. F912083

The following persons is doing business as:

Camp Real Estate, 3908 Ronda Road, Pebble Beach, Ca. 93953.
Blair Camp, 3908 Ronda Road, Pebble Beach, Ca. 93953.

This business is conducted by an individual.

/s/ Blair Camp
This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Dec. 13, 1991.

Publication Dates: Dec. 19, 26, 1991, Jan. 2, 9, 1992.
(PC1207)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT File No. F911943

The following persons is doing business as:

Digitech, 747 Alice St., Monterey, Ca. 93940.

Patricia Ann McCracken, 747 Alice St., Monterey, Ca. 93940.

This business is conducted by an individual.

/s/ Patie McCracken
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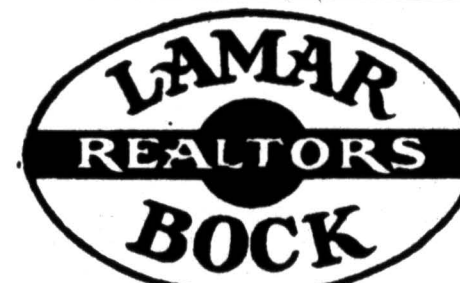
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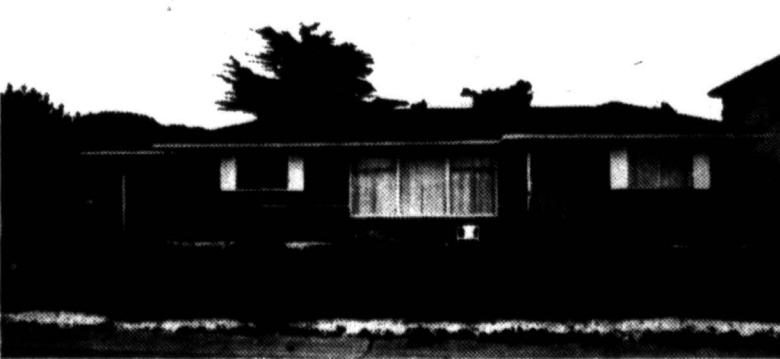
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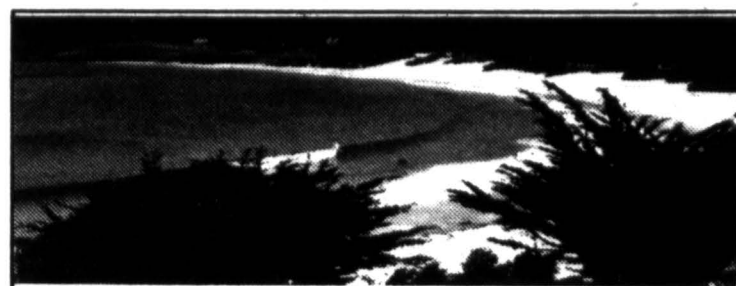
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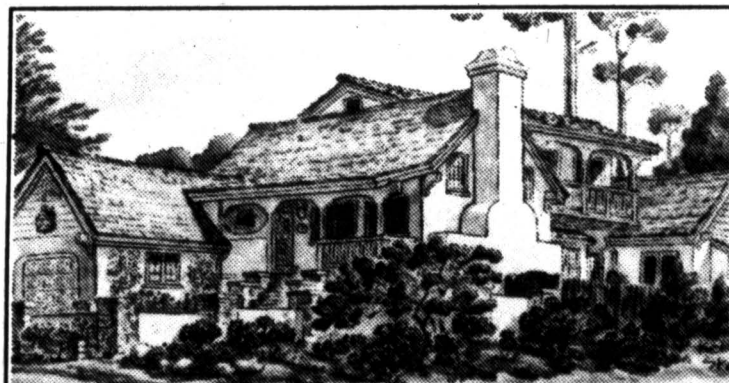
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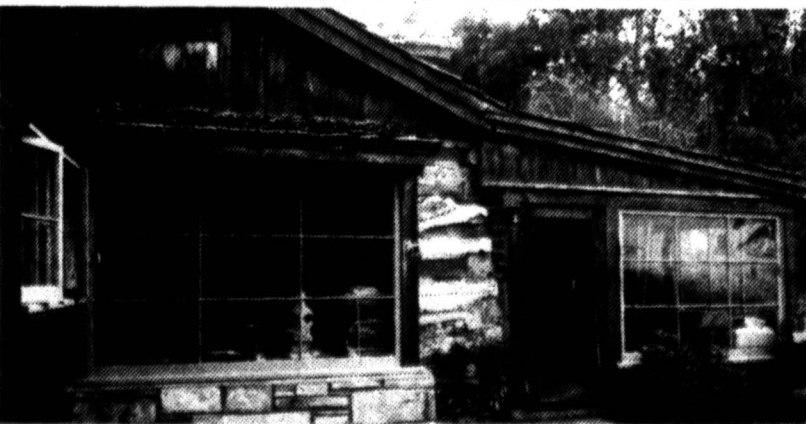
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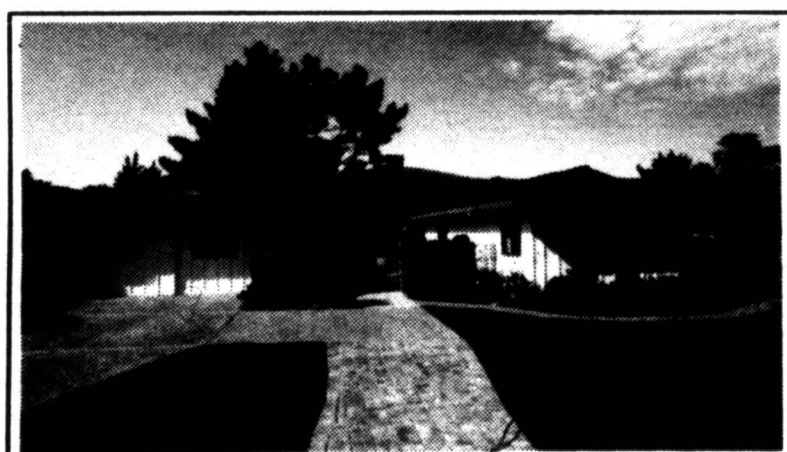
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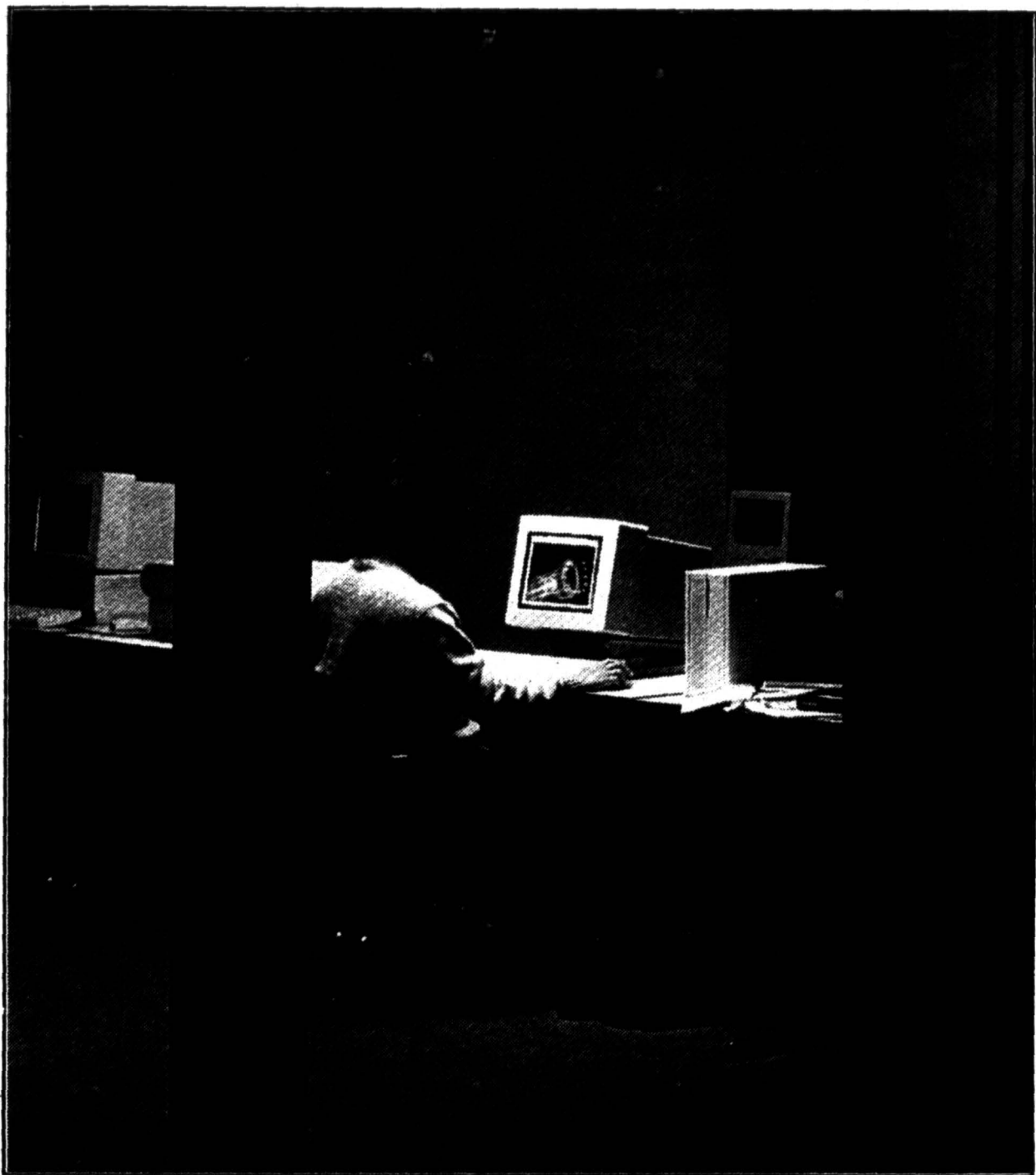
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Computer room upgrade will benefit many areas

By Andrew Martin

More than 100 students enrolled in computer-aided classes, small business and the general public will benefit from a planned \$62,000 upgrade to the out-of-date CHS computer room sometime this spring.

The Education Technology Committee has recommended to the school board the purchase of 25 computers, one laser printer and one flat-bed scanner, according to CHS officials.

Sue Williams, Marikay Levalley and Bruce Cates would like to see 15 Macintosh IISI's, 10 Macintosh Classic II's, one Apple laser printer and one Apple flat-bed scanner.

They would also like to have one of the Macintosh IISI's to have a 21-inch monochrome portrait display monitor.

"This change is going to give us an incredible laboratory to work with," said Levalley, who added that the new equipment will be comparable to what people are now using in current day hi-tech jobs.

The thought of networking the 25 computers together has been ruled out because it takes too much time to pull up

a large document from one computer to another.

"We examined the possibility of networking the computers and determined that the disadvantages outweigh the advantages," Cates said.

Networking is the interconnecting of many computers together for the purpose of sharing central processing units, databases, and input-output devices.

Why Apple instead of IBM?

Well, the Apple Macintosh graphics user interface is easier to learn to use than IBM's, which consists of confusing colons and key commands. The Apple interface is based on icons, menus, and a mouse. Once you learn how to use one program, you will have the confidence to be able to use any another.

The Apple IIE's that are currently in the computer room will be primarily distributed throughout the district's elementary schools.

UNDER A plan by the CUSD Ed-Tech committee, CHS students would have an opportunity to use computers similar to those in the workplace.

Health panel sets new focus on teen drug scene, answers

By ARYN HARRIS

The CUSD health advisory board has a new focus: The escalating problem of drug abuse among teenagers and how the community, parents, and merchants can help.

"We need to get everyone moving in the same direction for the same goal," said Lisa Fraser, Carmel Middle School vice principal.

The general consensus among students at CHS is that it's too bad that a town that is so willing to provide amenities for millions of tourists a year neglects the needs of a big part of our community — youth.

"It's a shame that the whole town has to shut down at 9 o'clock," said sarcastic junior Lance Thompson, "I would like to see the city of Carmel do something for its youth and organize a nighttime activity."

Janelle Malek is the district nurse and coordinator of the new effort. Ton Suza, the region representative for the comprehensive health education.

The board got off to a slow start this year, starting in October, but was originally formed last year in February. At this time last year they were not focusing

on the issues of drugs and teenagers.

"No one knew that it was going on to this extent before," said Fraser.

The board is made up of parents, teachers, merchants, law enforcement and students. They want (1) the merchants to change their perception on youth, (2) parents to support student responsibility to make educated choices, and (3) the community to provide places where they feel welcome.

"It is real critical to start drug prevention at an early age," said Fraser.

The program is set up to prevent drug use among youth and intervention where it is more present — at high school. Drugs are not new; they have always been accessible if you know the right people.

"Kids need to make educated choices. The drug problem is bigger than us. It's society's problem and we need to do what we can to minimize it," said Fraser.

The group meets three times in January (3, 13, 27) in the Middle School library. Organizers still want more parents and community members to be involved. If you are interested in helping, contact a school and see what you can do to help.

Students at CHS, if you are interested in being involved, talk to Joel Diamond.

Let's not forget the genuine quality demonstrated here

By Melissa Ingles

After the recent media turmoil over the report of LSD use at CHS, people seem to overlook the fact that Carmel High is one of the state's top schools.

Over the past few years, CHS has been ranked 13 due to high scores in the California Assessment program in the entire state of California. The CAP test is a required test given to 12th grade students. It has not been given for the past two years because of lack of funds from the state. "The CAP test will be given next year," says counselor Dee Dresser.

As well as high academic scores, CHS also has many excellent athletes in football, basketball, baseball, and track. Last year CHS baseball player Lance Scott had an opportunity to sign with the Seattle Mariners, but opted to attend Saint Mary's University. This year Chris Bobb was an all-league inside linebacker for the CHS football team. For this year's cross country team Will Allen finished 6th in the state finals.

Carmel also shined at this year's Academic Decathlon. Nine students from CHS participated in this scho-

lastic event, and placed 2nd behind North Salinas. The Academic Decathlon is one full day of testing in areas such as math, science, economics, and fine arts. The team won a total of 19 awards, including seven first place awards. Chris Dimaggio, a CHS senior, had the highest overall score for his division.

CHS does have a drug problem, but that comes with every high school. As a CHS counselor says: "CHS is an excellent school, providing students with classes such as R.O.P. to help them succeed in the real world."

"I thought that it was rather unfair to single out CHS when talking about drug use, especially LSD," says CHS security guard Dennis Handy. "It's pretty common knowledge what teenagers consume at weekend parties. This is something that's been going on since schools began. Our academic standard is very high and our students go on to major universities all over the country. I'm proud to work here and be around so many great young people. I wouldn't do this kind of work (security guard) at any of the other high schools in this area."

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The stars tell all....



I, Sahara have been granted the gift of knowledge of the stars. I come to CHS after my long travels and long spent time with Nancy Reagan. All my insights to your future have come from above.

IF TODAY IS YOUR BIRTHDAY: You're bumming! Not only is your birthday a week before Christmas, but you're not going to get any birthday presents. Everyone is going to give you the "un-present."

SAGITARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21): While walking through the local mall, you will be filled with the overwhelming desire to kiss Santa (or Mrs. Clause depending on your personal tastes). You will regain your sanity when you see that Santa is surrounded by cameras.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19): While at a Christmas party, you drink too much eggnog. The next morning you awaken wearing only a white beard. A Ho! Ho! Ho! to you too, big guy. Aries involved.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18): On Christmas Eve, you find that Jack Frost is nipping at more than your nose. Don't fight the feeling! **NOTE:** Go to sleep with extra ear muffs. Virgo involved.

PISCES (Feb. 19-Mar. 20): The holidays fill your chestnuts with warmth. Cool the open fire with a cold glass of

eggnog. Be cautious not to put out the flame, because Christmas only comes around once a year.

ARIES (Mar. 21-Apr. 19): Mistletoe plays a large part in your personal holiday joy. Take advantage of every opportunity that comes your way. Actually take it as far as you can. Cancer plays large role.

TAURUS (Apr. 20-May 20): Stocking stuffers are everywhere. But only the good ones wear fish-net stockings. Be cautious of elves in disguise, for they want to find out if you deserve coal in your stocking. Short Aquarius plays role.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20): This Christmas, Santa (along with all of CHS) will find that you are both naughty and nice. Live up to your name while hot tubin' this holiday season. But make sure you are more nasty.

CANCER (June 21-July 22): Christmas Eve, make sure you wear your sexy PJ's because you want to make Frosty melt. Remember that he/she had a jolly, happy soul. Revive his/her soul. Capricorn plays role.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22): Wrap yourself in tinsel on Christmas Eve, for you and Santa/Mrs. Clause will have a rendezvous on your roof. Be cautious of causing the "Hot Tin Roof" effect.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22): This season, make sure you keep your red nose in check, along with anything else reddish-colored. When you are given a present, make sure its wrapped. Gemini may play role.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22): Most people don't like being given their "presents" in front of others. But at least don't give it to them in the car, either. Friends play roles.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21): This holiday you will march to the beat of The Little Drummer Boy. Don't worry about his sticks, for his beat is louder than his bite. Disappointment is in sight with a bull (Taurus).

— Sandy Griffith

Food drive leadership noted as students help the poor

By JEREMIAH BUCK

Eight years ago RLS made a can food drive possible for the Christmastime. Vic Selby then made it possible in 1985 for CHS to have a can food drive of its own.

CHS's first year in the can food drive produced 5,000 cans for the poor which was the largest in the Monterey Peninsula at the time. 1991 will be the seventh year for the can food drive. In 1990 CHS contributed 14,700 cans for the Salvation Army.

"For the last six years CHS has been the leader in the canned food drive and we expect to do the same this year," said Selby. Selby and Richard Fletcher are the teachers at CHS that collect the most cans for the canned food drive. They have a game in which Selby and Fletcher compete to see who gets the most cans for the drive in the two-week period.

Fletcher's group is called the Forces of Evil and Selby's group is called the Forces

of Good. Fletcher gives bonuses of points in his grading system if students bring in a certain amount of cans. Selby just tells people to bring them in if they want to help the poor.

The names of the groups were given by Selby.

"Fletcher's group is considered evil because he gives to get, but my group gives only out of the heart," said Selby.

The Forces of Evil always win in the game, though, because Fletcher has that special touch to make people give to the poor.

The plan for this year is to break the 15,000 mark for cans. The Salvation Army gets all the cans and distributes them around the Monterey area. They make gift boxes that contain a variety of different items to choose from for the holidays.

About one day before the last day of school, there is a large can tree built out of all the cans collected by the drive at CHS. This tree is located in the CHS library.

A little game of giving

By Jeremy Buck

Some CHS teachers are playing a little game of giving this year for Christmas, with 25 teachers and staff members expected to sign up for a game called "Secret Santa."

Each day of this week (Dec. 16-19) a teacher or staff member gets a pal that they give gifts to. They have to sneak into the office and put the present into the pal's box without their pal knowing who gave it. Then, on the 19th, they present a nice gift to their chum with a note that lets them know who it was.

Not all teachers will be taking part this game because it does take time that some individuals do not have.

"I would like to participate, but I just don't have the time," said Mike Luis. "I don't want to sound like a Scrooge, but

some people just don't have the time."

But many teachers are taking part in the game.

The staff and teachers aren't expected to give large presents during the game. For the first days they are expected to give small presents, such as a car wash or something homemade, like cookies.

"I think it's a nice thing to do for someone that's your friend," said staff member Linda Galuppa. Players are expected to give a funny or nice present on the last day.

On Wednesday last week, names for teachers and staff were drawn. They are going to be running around this week, sneaking in presents to their secret pals.

"I hope to get someone that I know well, so that I can play a great joke on them!" said staff member Ann Berry. "I can't wait to get back at someone for a joke they played on me!"

Editorial

Take time for thanks

By Frank Melicia

At this time of the year people start to feel the Christmas cheer. Green and red make up the majority of clothes being worn. The air is crisp and has a smell distinct only during this season. It happens once a year and brings something special and magic every time.

As the crowd heads for Del Monte to pick that extra special gift for that loved one, we sometimes forget the true meaning of the holiday. Yes, we all look forward to seeing the biggest present under the tree with our name on it.

But wait, isn't the true meaning of Christmas giving? We must take time

to be thankful for how lucky we really are.

We live in such a utopia that we don't realize that while we are next to the majestic lighted tree, drinking hot cocoa, warmed by the fire, and reminiscing about the weather and past Christmas's, that people are out in the freezing cold with no blankets to protect themselves or without that beautiful turkey to end their hunger.

The main point is that in order to feel real Christmas cheer, you should give more than receive. That's what the holiday is all about.

So, please remember something as you leave school this last day. Be thankful for whatever you receive, for there are those who would rejoice in their sulkings.

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Students offer opinions of journalism instructor

By Anthony Herro

Behind every good paper there is an equally good editor; *The Sandpiper* is no exception, where David Leland has got the student staff working like a finely tuned automobile.

"I think that he is a very good teacher," said junior Lisa Antuzzi. "He makes writing for the paper (*Sandpiper*) a lot of fun."

Leland is the city editor at the *Carmel Pine Cone*, where he has been working for five years. Even though he has a tremendously busy schedule, Leland always finds the time for his class, and the students really appreciate his efforts.

"He (Leland) always stops what he is doing to help us," said junior Heather Eagle. "You can tell he teaches for the pure joy of expanding young minds."

Leland also thoroughly enjoys teaching. His favorite part of this new job is the excitement he feels when a student really understands what he is trying to get across.

"I love watching students learn," said Leland. "Watching them really figuring something out is a thrill."

Although he does love his job, students are the first to tell you that his journalism class is no "cakewalk."

"He really makes us work," said junior Paul Murphy. "It's really hard to get an 'A'."

Leland has been teaching for two years now and even though he won't admit it,

students say he is getting stricter about deadlines.

"It's really different this year," said junior student editor Kelli Caylor. "The deadlines are really strict. You get one week this year where you got two weeks last year, but that only makes us better students and writers."

Leland lives in Watsonville with his wife of five years, Robin, and his 2-year-old son, Zack. Leland is also an avid drummer.

Leland has high expectations for his new journalism class. "I want the kids to learn how to analyze problems," said Leland. "I want them to learn to be good writers and enjoy writing."

Some journalism class students have struck a new-found interest in continuing to write in college.

"I want to major in journalism in college," said senior Jesus Cardenas. "This class started my interest in it and I'm excited to continue the career in college."

Leland has a special knack to get students excited about the paper. It's this talent that makes the paper come out almost perfect every week.

On a personal note from the sixth period class, we would like to say "thank you" to the *Pine Cone* for the great job they do publishing *The Sandpiper*. And especially we would like to extend a big "thank you" to our teacher and friend, David Leland. Without him, there would be no *Sandpiper*.

Christmas homework?

By Paul Murphy

The presents under the tree, the taste of fresh egg nog as it gently slides down the esophagus, the crackling of the warm fire, and that damn essay to write!

As the holidays roll around people look forward to the time for relaxation and fun. High school students do not want to deal with the homework assignments given by their teachers.

Teachers at CHS have differing views about giving their students homework assignments over Christmas vacation. Some feel that vacation is just like any other night and that there is no reason why a homework assignment should not be given. However, other teachers think that the Christmas break should be exactly that — a break!

"Go for it — give it (homework) to 'em," said English teacher Tom Clifford. "I have no problem with that."

"Certain things need to be done, but

nothing will be due on Jan. 6 (when school resumes)," said History teacher Jack Ellena. "I don't believe in that."

CHS students also have differing views on whether or not homework should be given over the winter recess.

"I don't think we should have any. I don't want to have to think about it," said freshman Brad Lewis.

"I think students should not be given an excessive amount, but I don't think that a little bit would do any harm," said senior Allison Strickland.

Some CHS students want to utilize their vacation time to do things they cannot always do because of school.

"I'd do it. It depends if I had time, but I'd save it until the last minute," said junior Rubi. Dominguez. "I'd rather go out with friends and have as much fun as possible."

Although this may be a time for students to slack off on their studies, beware — finals for this semester begin Jan. 21.

CHS band shows variety

Music was in the air as the Christmas tree lights came to life on Junipero Street and Ocean Avenue in Carmel on Dec. 6. The CHS band played everything from "Away in the Manger" to "Rocking Around the Christmas Tree." They were accompanied by the new choir class at CHS.

"We played really well, and added something special to the event," says freshmen Jacque Evans.

The Mayor of Carmel, Jean Grace, was

there, along with Jolly Old Saint Nick and his elves. The crowd cheered as he rode up on his sleigh.

"Everyone seemed to be in the Christmas spirit," says junior Lindsay Webb.

After the tree lights came on, there was a reception held across the street at The Plaza. Little children were able to sit on Santa's lap and tell them their list for Christmas.

— Heather Eagle

Ski Club sets sights on trip

By Jeannine Trudeau

The CHS Padres are getting geared up for the white slopes of the Sierra Nevada.

"The Ski Club is a group of students that get together which will go on a couple of weekend trips during the year," said Miss Shaw, faculty advisor. "We are going to Lake Tahoe for the first trip and see how that goes, and probably go back to Tahoe if everything works out."

The ski trip will cost about \$200 for three days. That includes everything except for food. There is even a half day lesson included for beginners.

"I'm organizing the trip through Fort Ord recreation department because they give discounts," Shaw said.

This year's ski club will have two trips, and about 30 or 40 students will be going on the trip.

"It's my first year advising ski club. It should be a great trip, and beginners are welcome," said Shaw.

Christmas gift ideas put forth

By Kelli Caylor

Gift-giving at CHS ranges from the special keepsakes to the extraordinary. Also, due to this year's recession, many people feel that gifts should be something of value.

"Gifts should not just be something to throw away, but something useful," said ROP secretary Marilyn Stainbrook.

Some gift ideas are: a picture frame with a special picture in it, stockings with little gifts, and the basic, clothes and jewelry.

Collectibles are always a good gift idea.

"People always collect things," said ASB secretary Joanne Bevilacqua.

No matter what kind of gift, people will always like it.

"The Christmas season is upon us and any gift is a good gift this year," said junior Heather Eagle.

Different types of music can appeal to many people.

"Make one mix tape of songs that go together, then copy it and give it to friends," said junior Kitson Camp.

Creative, homemade things can be great gifts.

"Get a glass jar, make a scene out of femo on the lid, fill it with water and put glitter in it, screw the lid and glue it shut and give it to friends. It makes a great homemade snow ball," added Camp.

Nice jewelry is a special gift for all young ladies.

"I think that some chime pendants will be popular for girls this season," said junior Kimberly Craig. "As for guys, I don't know, maybe the Sports Illustrated Sneaker Phone or something," added Craig.



LISA ANTUZZI took the award last week for most improved diver.

CHS women's swim, diving awards given

By ADAM CHAPLAN

Last week CHS female athletes from the swimming and diving teams gathered in the cafeteria to have their awards banquet and congratulate themselves on once again dominating the MTAL.

Under the coaching of Diana Whitesides, Bruce Cates and Stacie Stainbrook, both teams proved to be unstoppable and finished their seasons undefeated.

"These girls are a wonderful, dedicated, fun, and loving group of girls to coach," said Coach Whitesides. "They are also excellent students."

Rookie coach Stainbrook agreed. "They are all outstanding hardworkers, and great students," said Stainbrook.

Over the past 17 years, the varsity's record is 184 - 4, while the junior varsity is 180 - 9.

1991 Swimming and Diving Awards

Most valuable swimmer - Tisha Satow

Most improved swimmer - Heather Gates

Walthour Award - Erica Murray

Scholastic swimmer award - Cristin Clack

Most valuable junior varsity - Somer Harrold

Most improved junior varsity - Sat Khalsa

Most valuable diver - Janell Petalver

Most improved diver - Lisa Antuzzi

Super nice girl award - Kim Kurtz

1992 co-captain (swimming) - Amy Allard

1992 co-captain (swimming) - Kim Kurtz

1992 diving captain - Cindy Boyd

The Sandpiper



Conditioning helps prevent CHS gridiron injuries

By James Genone

When I put on football pads for the first time in August, I felt something akin to what a fourth-grader feels when faced with exponential and logarithmic functions—confused. Now after three months of hard work and determination, I feel I have had one of the greatest learning experiences of my life.

Last year sometime around January, I decided to play junior varsity football. I spent the next few months conditioning with strength coach John Ables.

"I think a major reason for the small amount of injuries this season was because of the off-season conditioning," said Jeff Wright, head JV coach.

I totally agree. The team managed to get through the season without any serious injuries, mainly because of the work done in the weight room.

After watching most of the freshmen games last year, it was a lot different to go out there and hit. The first few weeks of practice occurred before school started.

When our first game came against Harbor High School, we were very excited. We had worked hard for weeks, and now it was time to see it if paid off. Winning that game was one of the best feelings I've ever had. Nine games later, after a tough season, the team found that every moment we practiced had been worth it.

At the end of the season, the team was much improved. We had achieved continuity and learned that no matter whether we won or lost, we had to give our best effort every play. This proves to be true in life as well as sports.

Not nearly enough can be said for the junior varsity coaches. The patience of

coaches Jeff Wright, David Trotter, Corey Bleisner, and Bob Brooks was immeasurable. With a number of players being a year behind as far as experience, it took a lot of hard work from all the coaches to bring the first-year players up to speed with the rest of the team. The intensity of the coaches was infectious and it often raised our level of play.

There was a lot of individual talent on this year's JV team. Some of the standouts were: John Tedrow at back, who specialized in the long touchdown; Larry Brooks at back and safety, who could be relied on to come through no matter where he was on the field; Daniel Silver and Matt Goldman, who made big holes on the right side of the line; and Evi Plata, an all-

around player and a leader. He was intense on every play, at every practice, and never stopped hitting the enemy as hard as he could. The leadership, influence, and sense of humor provided by junior Cyrus Morse was part of the driving force behind our season. The team really looked up to Cyrus because although he was a junior and did not make this past year's varsity team, he wasn't negative about it. He gave 100 percent every play and was an inspiration to us all.

Next year is a new year and a fresh start. Most of us will be playing at the varsity level and experiencing new challenges. If we can give our best as we did this past year, we will be successful because we will have played hard, and that's all anyone can ask.

Football banquet allows farewells to be expressed

By Lisa Antuzzi

On Dec. 10, at 6:30, CHS varsity football players, parents, coaches, cheerleaders and stat. girls gathered at the Carmel Youth Center for an emotional farewell to the seniors at their annual end-of-the-season banquet.

The evening consisted of a potluck dinner provided by parents, with special awards, certificates and speeches from the coaches.

But most of all, the event coincided with high emotions among the players.

There are many different awards such as Most Valuable, Most Improved, Offensive Excellence, Defensive Excellence, Scholar Athlete, and the Jim Kelsey Award.

The most valuable player award was given to two players thought by the team to be outstanding in their positions and an all-round exceptional player. Most of the time the team only picks one person, but this year there was a tie between seniors Tobin Leslie and Dominic Petrocelli.

This year the most-improved award went to a player who had gone into his

position with hardly any experience as a starting quarterback; Senior Andrew Wilson earned the award by displaying not only talent, but courage as well.

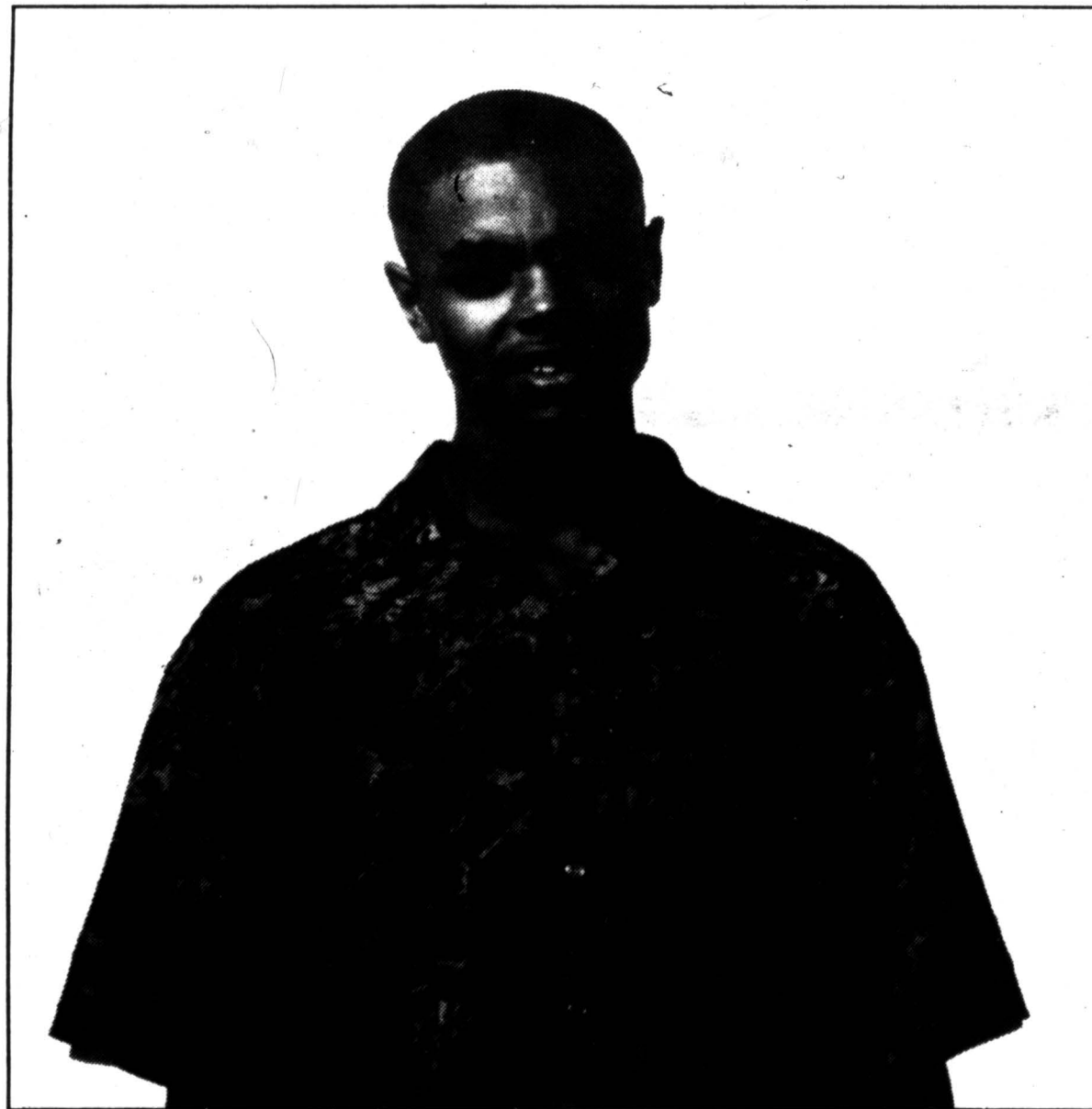
Kelly Starret received the defensive excellence award by portraying strength and ability to stop opponents in key situations. Receiving the offensive excellence award was Loi Yu, who also showed extreme talent in his position.

The scholar athlete award is given to the player who has maintained the highest GPA during the football season over any other player. Winner Jason Lindgren excelled not only in football but also in academics.

Finally, the prestigious Jim Kelsey Award was given to David Beerman for his ability to play football, receive good grades, and just be all-round good citizen.

All the team members agreed that the players who received the awards were very deserving of them and worked very hard to achieve them.

"I think CHS should be proud of the team. In every game that we played, we competed with some of the best teams in the area and that came by way of hard work and time," says Coach Craig Johnston.



Padres looking for victory

By R.J. Powell

I knew this year's Carmel High Invitational Tournament would be a good one, since most of the teams that are in the tournament were in it last year. Last year the tournament was pretty good except for the championship game, when Monterey was clearly overmatched by Los Lomas from the get-go.

Last year the Padres didn't do too good in the tournament, coming in 6th out of a field of eight.

This year the Padres are looking to win the tournament after a start of 3-1.

"Coming off a big win against Seaside High has given us the confidence that we can be a good team," said Dave Bernhard. "We proved to ourselves that we have the potential to be a good team."

The Padres have been practicing very hard and intensely. They are

feeling good right now and hopefully the hard work will pay off.

"We can't go into the tournament feeling so good that we think we can beat any team. We have to go into the tournament and just play our game and play hard. Keeping our intensity up for the whole game is the key. If we can do that every game, we should do good," said Frank Melicia.

"I think we will do good and will try to represent CHS the best we can," said Captain Chad Franklin. "We'll try to keep the championship here in Padre territory."

Editor's note: Unfortunately Powell did not fair well in this year's plan, fouling out in Carmel's 58-47 loss to Santa Cruz High. However, David Bernhard was selected to the all-tournament team.

DESPITE TRAINING for the event, the Padres, and Powell (shown here) did not fair well in the recent basketball tournament.

Soviet coach brings new ideas to Carmel soccer.

By Lance Thompson

The cold war is over and Sergie Mindergasov is making great use of the situation. The former Soviet soccer player has taken up coaching for the CHS junior varsity soccer team.

Mindergasov's talent is very evident, but the language barrier is a problem for the newcomer.

"He's a nice guy and a great coach, but he is hard to understand," says Adam Chaplin.

"He has a problem telling us what he wants," says junior exchange student Wolfran Freier, empathetically.

"He knows the game very well," says junior Jeremy Van Dyke. "He communicates pretty well for someone who doesn't speak English. Coach teaches us some soccer and we teach him some English."

As the players reflect, Mindergasov, 32, is adapting well and varsity coach Jeff Wright feels that the new coach will be a great asset to CHS soccer in the future.

"He is knowledgeable, enthusiastic, and has a strong grasp of what coaching is all about," says Wright.

If Mindergasov stays on as a Padre coach, both players and coaches alike agree that his future is looking good.

"As his English improves, so will his coaching," says Wright.

"He is going to be a better coach as he learns English better. He has great potential," says Chaplin.

As our relations improve with the Soviet Republic, perhaps we will receive more great coaches and athletes like Sergei Mindergasov.